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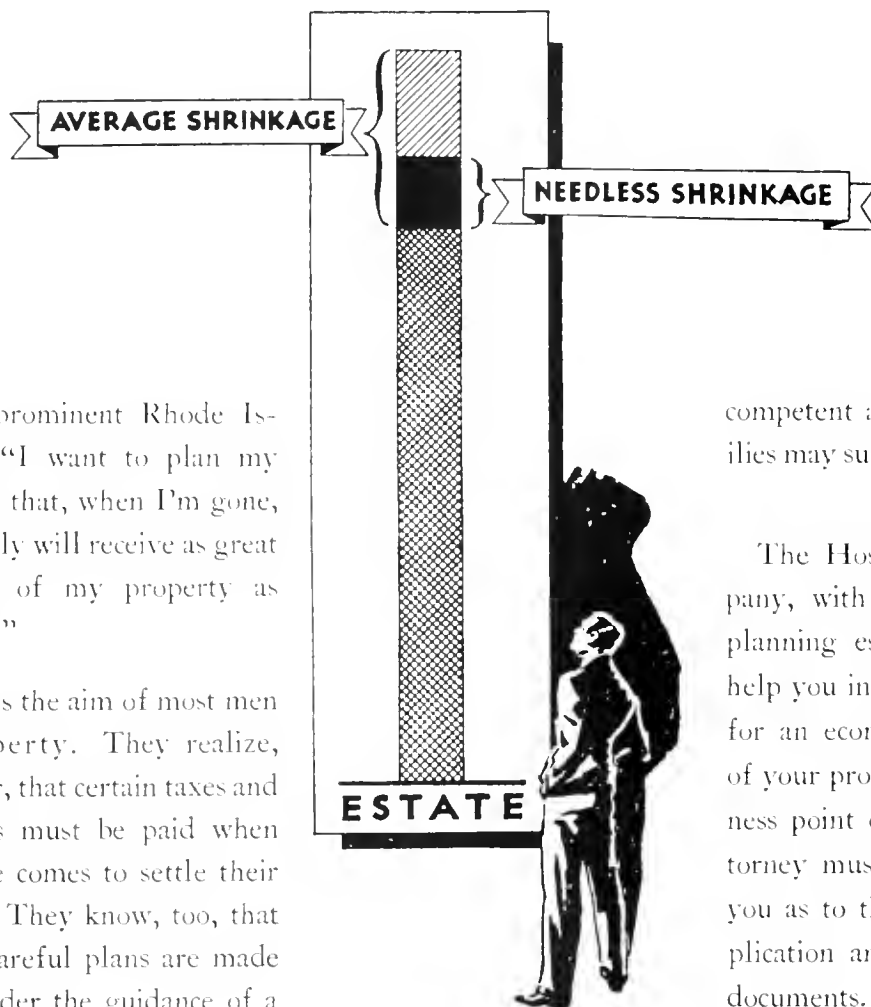
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## Alumni Hopes for Brown's Next President

**W**HAT qualifications are desirable for the presidency of Brown University? What sort of a man is best fitted for this responsible post in the critical years that lie ahead? Should he be young? Should he be a "money-getter"? Should he be an alumnus? What should be his background, his philosophy, his personality?

It was a large order given last June when a committee of alumni was appointed by the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni to state the qualifications desired in the next President of Brown University.

But its statement is complete after a series of meetings and much correspondence, and all members of the committee are signatory to the document as presented to the Executive Committee last month by Ivory Littlefield '09, chairman of the "Qualifications Committee". Accepted by the Executive Committee, the report has been sent to the Secretary of the Brown University Corporation, with copies put in the hands of each member of the Committee of the Corporation on nominations for President.

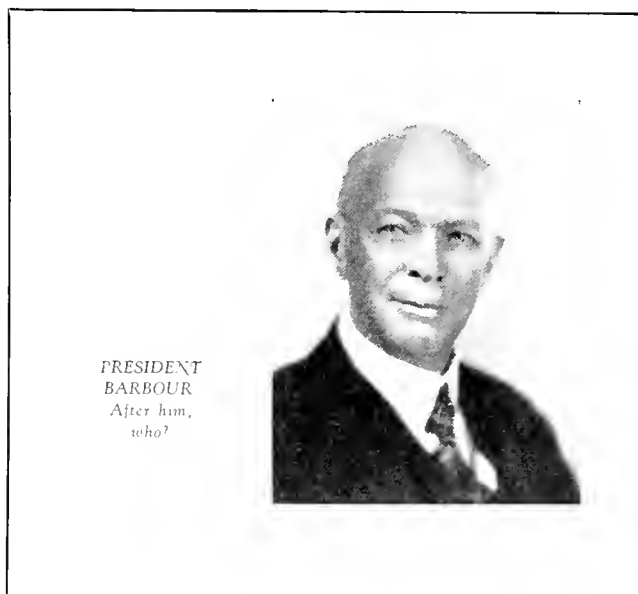
Friends of Brown will find the report rich in interest, and the ALUMNI MONTHLY is grateful for the opportunity to print it in full:

*To the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni:—*

**L**OOKING ahead to his retirement, Dr. Barbour, as early as last February, expressed the hope that the University would choose his successor far enough in advance so that the action might be "free from opportunism." The Corporation has named a committee from its membership to nominate the future President of Brown. That committee has invited the Alumni to suggest to it the names of any persons who qualify for that high responsibility.

The Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni in June, 1935, instructed its President to appoint a committee which should state the ideas of the Alumni upon the qualifications for the next President of Brown. This step was in part a recognition of the fact that it was before an Alumni group, the Advisory Council, that Dr. Barbour had first publicly called attention to his impending retirement, but primarily such action was deemed proper because of the natural, loyal concern of the Alumni for the University's destiny.

From the start, the Alumni Committee has been aware that it has no license to think in terms of individual men with regard to the Presidency of Brown University. It has carefully avoided the mention of any names, feeling that its assigned duty was to formulate and state a theoretical definition of an ideal person for the office. Other opportunity has been afforded the Alumni in general to recommend individuals to the attention of the Corporation Committee. This



Committee of Alumni therefore directs attention only towards the qualifications most desirable in such a man. It dares hope that Brown may find a man endowed with these qualifications, exacting though they are.

**W**E take it as a fundamental premise that the University's primary reason for existence and its most important function is the educational and social influence on the succession of students within its gates. In this regard, the next President of Brown should possess qualities of leadership of youth so that he may stimulate their appreciation of culture and their zest for intellectual accomplishment, inspire scholarship, and instill the principles of integrity and unselfishness, to the end that Brown may continue to send forth to their respective committees a "succession of men duly qualified for discharging the offices of life."

The new incumbent should be prepared to give at least twenty years of active service to the University, so that he will have time to work a program through, to give a continuity and direction to the University policies. The next President, therefore, should be a "young" man, certainly not more than fifty years of age,—better, still younger, between the ages of thirty-five and forty-five, at the time of his inauguration. A young man can best understand young men, and his youth prevents the barrier which age sometimes erects. The next President of Brown should possess good health and an energetic personality, and stand ready

to give generously of that vigor to the University he will serve.

Every institution, particularly one which is of that small company which was founded during Colonial times, acquires worthy traditions. The committee feels, in consequence, that Brown can best be guided by a man who has come under the influence of her traditions. The next President may well be an Alumnus of Brown or an adopted son who, through service to Brown or familiarity with her past and present, shares the loyal Brown man's devotion to her future well-being. The Committee, however, would welcome a stranger who fulfills the major qualifications, if no Alumnus or adopted son is conspicuously available.

SINCE the broad and liberal education of the student-body is the basic function of our University, our new President does not require commercial business experience to fit him for his post. Particularly if the present division and delegation of the University's business administration is to be continued, the President will come in contact but little with the "business side" of University management. Even executive training is not an essential, but the next President should have some familiarity with the administrative technique of academic institutions, as well as with other problems and processes of academic life.

Colleges require financial support from friends as well as from their student and Alumni bodies, and the financial responsibilities of Brown are great. Nevertheless, the Committee emphatically would deplore the choice of a President on the basis of his supposed ability as a "money-getter" or "promoter" of the financial well-being of the University. By virtue of his leadership, the University will hold a position of eminence in the world of education. This pre-eminence will induce benefactions of more value than will a policy of "money-raising." The ability to attract financial and other support for the University will be assured, the committee feels, as the result of purpose and achievement along the true path of Brown's educational ideals. Included in the category of desired benefactions is the further improvement in number and quality of applicants for admission to the University.

BROWN's next President should be a liberal; not liberal in the sense of radical, but open-minded and with wide horizons in his outlook upon life and education. The location of Brown, in the State of Rhode Island founded by Roger Williams on the broad creed of tolerance, and Brown's own tradition of Academic Freedom, virtually demand such a qualification. Regardless of such powerful associations, however, the receptiveness of youth, whose ideals are bright and whose purposes are high, can best be served by a liberal leader whose own mind has the habit of inquiry and tolerant appraisal.

Although it is unnecessary to choose from the ranks of the Clergy, a President of Brown should be a man of religious and spiritual convictions. He should be a cultivated gentleman, personally attractive, with capacities for human contacts. He must possess a dignity and a forcefulness of character genuinely impressive within and without the academic world.

Finally, "there is no substitute for brains"; the new President should be a man of recognized scholarly attainment, appreciating the experiences of teaching and of research; no stranger to the ideals and struggles, the ambitions and achievements of his Faculty. Upon him will be the responsibility of selecting new men who will even surpass the present

high standard of the Brown faculty; and his success as a leader of a company of scholars will determine the renown of the University as an educational institution, as well as its ability both to attract desirable students and to develop their intellectual and cultural possibilities. No other qualification can take the place of the requirement that the new President be a scholar, who commands in his own right the respect and allegiance of his colleagues. Possessed of such scholarly leadership, with some of our other qualifications, the new President will assure Brown her place in the highest rank of American colleges.

Respectfully submitted,

IVORY LITTLEFIELD, '09,	WAYNE M. FAUNCE, '21
Chairman	A. H. GURNEY, '07
ROYAL W. LEITH, '12	EDWIN B. MAYER, '09
THOMAS B. APPELEGET, '17	PROF. J. H. WILLIAMS, '12
RALPH A. ARMSTRONG, '17	W. C. WORTHINGTON, '23
SIDNEY CLIFFORD, '15	H. S. CHAFEE, '09, Secretary
WILLIAM H. EDWARDS, '19	

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#### Another Rhodes Scholar

AGAIN a Brunonian will represent New England at Oxford University under the Rhodes foundation. Competing with candidates from all parts of New England, C. Bernard Lewis '35, now an instructor at Johns Hopkins, was one of four successful aspirants.

Lewis, who entered Brown from Hope Street High School, Providence, was a member of Sigma Xi and the Cammarian Club while at Brown, won the class of 1907 scholarship for all around achievement, was track captain in his Senior year, and was college wrestling champion in the 155-pound division. At Oxford he will continue study in zoology.

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C. B. LEWIS '35



J. CADEN '31

#### When College Editors Met

Joseph Cadden '31, secretary of the National Student Federation of America, presided at a three-day conference of college newspaper editors in New York City last month at which the editors voted to form a press service for undergraduate newspapers.

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#### The Lownes Memorial Recital

Norman Coke-Jephcott, organist of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, and Vera Fonaroff, violinist, were the artists in the 1935 Edgar J. Lownes Memorial Recital in Sayles Hall on Dec. 2.

## Setting Up the University Council

A PLAN for increasing the financial resources of Brown through a continuous cultivation of interest among alumni and friends has been announced by the University. The plan calls for the establishment of an organization with a central committee in Providence and local committees in all important alumni centers. General officers have been appointed with Mr. Henry D. Sharpe, the Chancellor of the University, acting as General Chairman. Local committees have already been established in several cities and it is expected that by Commencement time such committees will be at work in all important centers of Brown influence.

The organization has been designated the *Brown University Council*. When it is complete the Council will consist of two or three hundred alumni and friends who are actively engaged in one way or another in promoting the material welfare of the University. In devising this plan and in setting up the organization the officers of the University have had the counsel and advice and the cooperation of the officers of the Associated Alumni and of the Brown Clubs in all parts of the country. In each case the personnel of the local committee and the method of local procedure has been determined by the officers of the Brown Club itself.

WHILE the organization is not yet complete, the general lines of activity have been laid out. Special committees of the Council will be set up to cover each of several phases of the program: the encouragement of large gifts and bequests by alumni and friends of the University and by friends of education in general; appeals to educational foundations; cooperation with the Alumni Fund Trustees in the promotion of the Alumni Fund; cooperation with the Committee in charge of the Alumni Cooperative Admissions Program; and cultivation of interest among non-alumni. A committee will be designated to promote the special interests of Pembroke College. Wherever the program of the Council relates to an activity already carried on under the auspices of the Associated Alumni the Council will attempt to cooperate with and support in every way the work of the Alumni agencies concerned.

The need for effort in the directions indicated and the desirability of the plan here outlined are stated in a memorandum recently prepared by Vice-President Adams:

"During the past four or five years," says Professor Adams, "the University has made a very real effort to meet the requirements of the changing financial situation by reductions in expenditures. As a result of these efforts, involving reductions amounting to more than \$200,000, the University operated virtually without a deficit for the two years, 1932-33 and 1933-34. Balancing the budget during these two years was recognized as a virtual necessity which superseded all other considerations.

"Inevitably the major burden of these retrenchments fell upon the Faculty and the facilities with which they work. Department appropriations for supplies and equipment were decreased. The staffs of departments of instruction were reduced. Reductions were made in appropriations for books and periodicals. Only imperative repairs and maintenance items were provided for in the buildings and

grounds budget. Finally, the salaries of all members of the administrative and teaching staffs were reduced by 10%. Normal advancements in rank and salary have been retarded.

THIS balancing of the budget was not realized without cost. It was recognized that these retrenchments could be made, for the time being at least, without jeopardizing the structure of the University or impairing the quality of the educational performance. That this was possible was due in large part to the splendid spirit and morale which had been developed in the personnel of the faculty during the preceding years. But the administration is already beginning to feel the pressure of cumulative deficiencies in equipment and supplies and the strains of retarded academic recognition in the faculty personnel. Moreover, it is already noticing competitive interest on the part of other institutions in some of the important members of the staff.

"The present problems of the University come to a focus in financial need. Additional income is essential if the University is to proceed in accordance with the expectations of its alumni and friends. In view of the decline in the rate of return from first class investments, a general money market factor over which the University has no control, there is little reason to believe that any substantial additions to present income will be available from the present endowment. The major portion of the increased income which is needed must come from increased endowment or increased gifts to income. The program which the University is now undertaking is designed to meet this situation.

THE program is not a financial campaign of the usual type—such as many institutions embarked upon during the 20's. It is planned as a long time continuous administrative effort to keep the University, the work which it is doing, its financial needs, and the ways and means by which they may be met, in the minds of alumni and friends and to bring them to the attention of others who may be interested in a worthwhile educational project. It is hoped, of course, that there may be some immediate results which will help to meet the imperative needs of the next two or three years.

"A large portion of the funds which have been received during the years for the support of educational institutions in this country has come to them in the form of gifts or bequests independent of financial campaigns. And this is true of Brown. These funds represent the continuing interest of alumni and friends who have been kept informed concerning the work and welfare of the University. They are the result of understanding and appreciation and of confidence in the future of the University and its work. We feel sure that the continuous effort in this direction which is contemplated in the organization of the Council will be of great value in securing the increased financial resources which are necessary for the restoration of some of the expenditures which have been curtailed and for the continued development of plans for the future."

General officers of the Council have been appointed as follows: General Chairman, Henry D. Sharpe '94; Vice-Chairmen: Stephen O. Metcalf '78 of Providence; Wallace

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R. Lane '99 of Chicago; Claude R. Branch '07 of Boston; Charles E. Hughes, Jr., '09 of New York; and Edward A. Adams '12 of Los Angeles.

The general administration of the activities of the Council is under the direction of a Central Committee of which Mr. Sharpe is Chairman and Vice-President James P. Adams is Vice Chairman. The other members are: President Clarence A. Barbour; Vice-President Albert D. Mead; Harold C. Field '94, Treasurer of the University; Edwin A. Burlingame, Comptroller of the University; Harold B. Tanner '09; Clinton C. White '00; William H. Edwards '19; Ivory Littlefield '09; the President of the Associated Alumni, and the Vice-Chairman of the Council, *ex officio*.

THE Council plan calls for the organization of local central committees which will be responsible for the coordination and direction of local interest and activity related to each of the several phases of the program. Meetings have been held in several cities at which Vice-President Adams has laid the Council plan before alumni groups. On November 13th a dinner meeting with over fifty in attendance took place at the Brown Club in New York City, with Harvey N. Davis '01, President of the Club, presiding, and Vice-President Adams, William H. Edwards '19, and Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe speaking about the Council plan. On November 18th Cleveland alumni gathered at the University Club to hear Vice-President Adams speak on the program. Dr. Richard E. Barnes '27, President of the Cleveland Club, presided at the meeting. On November 19th over half the Detroit alumni were present at a dinner meeting held at the Wardell Hotel for the same purpose. Howard A. Coffin '01 presided at this meeting. On the following night, November 20th, Mr. Adams and Wallace R. Lane '99 addressed a meeting of alumni held at the Interfraternity Club, Chicago. On December 16th, explanation of the Council plan was made

a part of the regular meeting of the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., with Vice-President Mead reporting on the state of the University. Harold B. Mistr '27 presided at this gathering which was held at the University Club.

As a result of these meetings and of other conferences, local central committees of the Council have been set up as follows:

*New York:* Ralph M. Palmer '10, Chairman; W. R. Dorman '92; W. R. Burwell '15; Joseph F. Halloran '16.

*Cleveland:* Dr. Richard E. Barnes '27, Chairman; Harold L. Madison '01; Harry L. Hoffman '25; and Paul L. Stannard '29.

*Detroit:* H. H. Rice '92, Chairman; Howard A. Coffin '01; Henry B. Selleck '09; and Dean F. Coffin '33.

*Springfield:* Ralph A. Armstrong '17, Chairman; Harry L. Oldfield '10; William C. Giles '11; William C. Hill '94; Dr. Louis E. Hathaway '24; Wesley E. Monk '96; Richard D. Tucker '06. The Springfield Committee will have representatives in neighboring towns as follows: Agawam and Feeding Hills—Clifford M. Granger '04; Amherst—Basil B. Wood '05; Chicopee and Chicopee Falls—Paul C. Richards '17; Easthampton—Herbert D. Casey '94; Greenfield—Francis L. Jones '23; Holyoke—Dwight K. Bartlett, Jr. '23; Northampton—William E. Bailey '13; Palmer—Chifton H. Hobson '04; Pittsfield—Irving H. Gamwell '96; Shelburne Falls—Dr. H. B. Marble '17; South Hadley—Dr. Herbert B. Lang '96; Ware—Leonard B. Campbell '15; Westfield—Philip Caswell, Jr. '23; West Springfield—Dr. George B. Corcoran '06; Williams-town—Dr. Edwin A. Locke '96.

Ralph M. Brown '25 was appointed chairman of the Chicago Committee and is organizing a local central committee. In Washington the Council program was put in the hands of the officers and governors of the Brown Club who include: Harold B. Mistr '27, President; Thomas Shotton, Jr. '30, Vice-President; Ernest R. Cleaveland '14, Treasurer; John A. French '25, Secretary; Elijah Anthony, 2nd '18; J. V. Bennett '18; W. R. Boger '26n; A. C. Eastburn '12; John R. Lapham '09; Dr. Harris E. Starr '97; Frederick B. Wiener '27; Waldo G. Leland '00.

Plans are under way for the organization of similar committees in Providence; Boston; Philadelphia; Worcester; Akron, Canton, and Youngstown. Arrangements will be made to reach other alumni centers in the near future.

## Sock and Buskin Alumni Revival

### "TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM."

Performances on Evenings of January 28, 29, 30, 31  
and February 1.

BY ROBERT B. JONES '07

THE Sock & Buskin Alumni group will undoubtedly add greatly to its established reputation for masterly revivals of interesting old plays when, on January 28, 1936 (Tuesday evening) it presents the first of five performances of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," the old-time temperance propaganda "dramma" written in 1857 by William N. Pratt. It is a dramatization of a book authored by Timothy Shay Arthur in Boston, 1854.

"Ten Nights," in its time, was the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" of the prohibition cause, and has probably been played in every hamlet, village and farm neighborhood of the nation. Artistically it is not much, though it has its moments of very good "theatre." The Sock & Buskin will, however, play it in the serious (*very serious*) manner in which it was performed away back there when it was one of the chief instru-

ments for the flagellation of the Demon Rum. In spite of the earnest message of the old thriller, the likelihood seems strongest that rather sophisticated audiences will find cause for mild, or not so mild, amusement — not at the expense of the general principle the play purports to further, but at the manner in which the actors and actresses of an earlier day handled their lines and stage business.

The production is for the benefit of the Brown Club of Providence, and profits derived will be applied to those projects (Rhode Island Scholarships and the like) for which the club has become so favorably known.

The Tickets will be \$1.00 each, and applications by mail reaching the Sock & Buskin, in Faunce House, Brown University, not later than January 24, 1936 will be filled by mail. On applications later received, tickets will be held in the applicant's name at the Box Office of the Faunce House Theatre. Checks accompanying applications should be made payable to Sock & Buskin, Inc.

A particularly able cast and executive staff has been gathered together, consisting in the main of former Sock

& Buskin players, but enriched and made more versatile by the inclusion of one or two undergraduates and some charming and able "guest artists" in women's roles.

### "TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM"

#### CAST

Romaine	Wyman Pendleton, Jr.
Joe Morgan, a drunkard	Theodore L. Sweet
Sample Swichel, A Yankee tippler	Rufus C. Fuller, Jr.
Simon Slade — Proprietor of the Sickie & Sheath	J. Lamson Eddy, Jr.
Willie Hammond	Evan Crossley
Harvey Green	Alfred C. Licata
Frank Slade	David Burchinal
Mehitable Cartwright	Mrs. Walter C. Atkinson
Mrs. Morgan	Mrs. Zenas R. Bliss
Mary Morgan	Barbara Ann Arnold
Mrs. Slade	Miss Florence Bray

#### PRODUCTION COMMITTEE

Leslie T. Chase, Ben W. Brown, Rufus C. Fuller, Jr.  
with the following Staff:

Director	George Wetherald
Technical Director	Kenneth M. Harlow
Scenic Artist	Leslie Allen Jones
Property Manager	Walter Brownsword
Costumes Mistress	Mrs. R. C. Fuller, Jr.

assisted by

Robert Hollingworth, Alfred Higgins, Ed. Austin,  
Francis Armington

Professor Chester Snow at the Piano.

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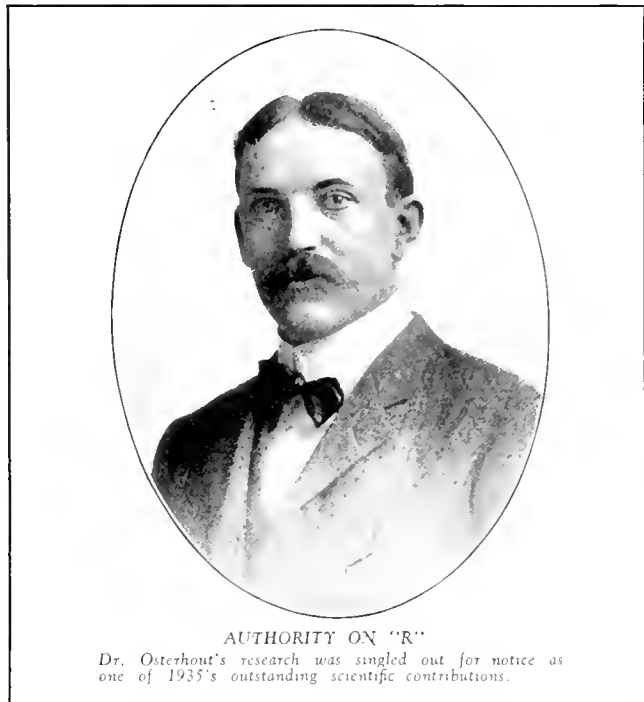
#### *Brunonians in 1935's Science*

THE work of Dr. W. J. V. Osterhout '93 in tracing the irritability of protoplasm to a substance of unknown composition called "R" was cited by Science Service as one of 1935's outstanding achievements in biology. Dr. Osterhout worked with Dr. S. E. Hill, also of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research.

Also cited was Prof. Harlan T. Stetson '08 for his proof that lunar tides in the solid earth exist and alter the distance between Europe and America by as much as 63 feet in a year. The astronomer, working in the Tuxedo private laboratory of Dr. A. L. Loomis, physicist, had the latter as collaborator.

Study of electrical impulses generated by brain activity and known popularly as "brain waves" shows that brain activity, like heart activity, is constant but, unlike heart activity, proceeds at different rates during sleeping, waking, and mental processes. This study, listed as an outstanding achievement in medical science in 1935, promises much information about mental processes in health and disease. Drs. H. H. Jasper and Leonard Carmichael of Brown are among a dozen American scientists contributing to this research.

In the field of psychology, Science Service recognized two important projects at Brown: 1, that by Dr. Carmichael and Dr. C. S. Bridgman, who established that, at least in certain mammalian fetuses, the first responses are reflex in character and do not involve general behavior, as previously supposed; 2, that by Dr. K. U. Smith, who demonstrated that cats that have lost the entire visual cortex can discriminate brightness differences normally under general dark-adapted conditions but not under general light-adapted differences.



AUTHORITY ON "R"

Dr. Osterhout's research was singled out for notice as one of 1935's outstanding scientific contributions.

The year's rewards and recognitions included the award to Dr. Charles A. Kraus of the Willard Gibbs Medal of the Chicago Section, American Chemical Society, for his research on the theory of solutions; and the \$1000 award by the American Chemical Society for research conducted by chemists under 31 years old, which went to Dr. Raymond M. Fuoss, also of Brown.

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#### *Brown's Senior Alumnus*

SAWING wood is the best exercise in the world, Martin S. Smith '67 told a newspaper interviewer on Dec. 21, his 91st birthday. On the Scituate farm where he was born he talked vigorously of agriculture, politics, and education and recalled his student days at Brown. Entering with the class of 1861, he found that his preparatory work in the classics had already covered the required collegiate field, but he confessed that he told no one about it at the time.

"There are too many folderols in education these days," he said. "In college in my time we could concentrate on a few studies and really master them."

Mr. Smith, who is Commander of the Rhode Island State Department of the Grand Army of the Republic, is well known to his fellow alumni, for he has attended every college reunion except those in '68, '69, and '70 when he was keeping store, placer mining, and teaching school in Blackfoot, Montana. He continues active today, helping with the milking and covering a daily route in the city to sell his farm products.

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#### *Honoring Banished Roger*

FORMER GOVERNOR NORMAN S. CASE of the Federal Communications Commission gave the address at the exercises held in Washington recently to mark the 300th anniversary of the banishment of Roger Williams from the Massachusetts Colony to what is now Rhode Island. Case's ancestor, Thomas Harris, joined with Williams in founding Providence Plantations.

## Yachting for Brown University

### *Practical Proposition or Forlorn Hope?*

*Hopes for a yachting program for Brown undergraduates are discussed in the following provocative article written for the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY by the alumnus perhaps best qualified to speak on the subject: Professor Zenas R. Bliss '18 of the Division of Engineering. Professor Bliss was navigator on Rainbow, the successful America's Cup Defender in 1934.*

*Many alumni and students have been campaigning for a program that would make use of the natural advantages of Narragansett Bay as a distinctive, attractive phase of college activity at Brown. How practical this proposition is, you will judge from Professor Bliss's discussion of it.*

BY ZENAS R. BLISS

FOR a long time many Brown Alumni, the writer included, have felt that the University has failed to take full advantage of its natural resources in that yachting has had only a theoretical place among its student activities. With Brown located upon the shores of a bay which affords facilities second to none, it has often been suggested that a fine opportunity to develop a worth while activity which would be an attraction to prospective students has not been exploited and that serious efforts should be exerted towards making Brown known as a yachting college.

This feeling has been experiencing one of its more or less periodic rejuvenations within the last two years, and it seems appropriate that the situation should be reviewed to see if the idea is fundamentally practical and if so to determine what steps are necessary to put it into effect.

It has been the writer's experience that all alumni with whom the matter has been discussed are in favor of it as a theoretical proposition, but that few of them appreciate the practical factors involved, the result often being a somewhat critical attitude at the University's apparent lack of initiative in the matter.

It is hoped that this brief discussion may serve to show that the question is by no means a dead issue, that it has received a certain amount of serious consideration, and that the course of future action is fairly clear if it seems desirable to follow it. Whether or not anything is to be done about it depends largely upon alumni support.

In the first place it must be realized that yachting is primarily a warm weather sport most actively participated in during the summer months when the colleges are not in session. It is probably due to this fact that past efforts to stimulate sailing interest at Brown have proved unsuccessful, and it is still a serious disadvantage, as on that basis sailing could be active only during a small part of the college year.

However, the development of dinghy sailing and so-called Frostbite racing on the Eastern coast has brought into existence a new enthusiasm which may save the situation. In many of our Eastern Yachting centers, Narragansett Bay included, this type of racing has been carried on throughout the winter season with great success and it is now spreading through the colleges. In spite of the efforts of some of our students, Brown cannot at present be considered as one of the leaders in this movement, and unless she joins the pro-

cession fairly soon she will be one of the tail-enders in a sport which has long been considered as one in which she should be prominent.

BASICALLY the problem is one of finances. In order to sail or race, the students must own their boats, must borrow the boats, or the University must furnish them. Although a few boats are at present owned by students, the number of Brown students who can afford to buy and maintain a sailing dinghy will probably always be much too small to create the amount of activity desired, hence one of the other methods must be depended upon for real results.

Borrowing anything is liable to be unsatisfactory, and when one realizes the feeling a boat owner has for his boat, it is not surprising that attempts at borrowing boats to be used by college students for sailing or racing have not been particularly successful. The Intercollegiate regattas held annually on Long Island Sound are restricted to a small number of colleges primarily because of the difficulty in securing even the few boats now required. It is doubtful if this particular event will grow beyond the colleges already included and it is in the field of dinghy sailing that we must lay our plans.

It is the writer's considered opinion that any plans based upon the borrowing of boats are fore-doomed to failure, and that our possibilities lie wholly within the third alternative of University owned boats.

In considering the aspects of the third alternative it must be remembered that getting the boats is only part of the problem. Even small dinghies require care and the number of practical questions which arise in connection with upkeep, storage, responsibility for safety of both boats and students, etc., will astonish the alumnus who has not given the matter serious thought.

AT a meeting of a few interested alumni in Providence recently the whole matter was discussed with a view to determining the minimum requirements for making a start. Ten-foot Class D dinghys appear to be the type which will be more or less standardized in Intercollegiate racing and the following estimates are based upon the use of this class of boat. While it is believed that the question of sailing at Brown should be considered primarily from the standpoint of its being a desirable student activity with a large student participation, the possibility of Intercollegiate racing should not be lost sight of, even though of secondary importance. A type of boat adopted for use in other colleges is therefore desirable, other things being equal.

Excellent Class D dinghies can be purchased by the University for two hundred dollars if ordered in lots of six or more at the present time, this being a twenty per cent discount based on prices for single boats. A fleet of six boats was therefore taken as the minimum number, representing an initial outlay of twelve hundred dollars for the boats themselves. Three hundred dollars per year is a conservative figure to allow for storage, fire insurance, depreciation of sails, necessary varnishing and painting, etc. for the six boats.

While it is hoped that the activity may eventually become practically self supporting through the payment by the



students of reasonable fees for the use of the boats, it would be wise to have sufficient funds on hand to maintain the original six boats for at least three years. In round numbers, therefore, approximately two thousand dollars will be needed to establish the sport and insure its continuance for a period of three years without outside help.

It is realized that under the present conditions with the many commitments in already established sports, no help can be expected from University funds, an added reason for the three year endowment idea. However, if the sport of sailing is to be permanently established on a workable basis, some assistance from the University will eventually be necessary. Also, given the fleet of boats, it still remains to work out the details of such problems as supervision, method by which students are to pay for the use of the boats, sailing instruction for those desiring it, etc.

**D**INGHY sailing is already making great headway at Harvard, Cornell, M. I. T. and many other leading Universities and it is time that Brown should either join the sport in an active way or give up the idea of becoming known as a sailing college.

Results recently achieved at a neighboring institution with a student body of about 2500 may be of interest to those who question the nature of student response. At this institution about 500 students attended a mass meeting, 448 were in favor of starting the sport, 376 desired instruction, and over 450 stated that they would devote at least two hours a week to sailing practice. This institution already has been promised eighteen boats from interested alumni and others and expects to have thirty by the time the spring sailing season begins. About 250 students are now attending courses in the various branches of sailing, navigation, racing tactics, etc., all without college credit and therefore due only to their own interest in the sport. A significant fact is that a large number of the interested students have had no previous experience in sailing or racing.

We already have at Brown a small but enthusiastic group of students who are doing all that is possible without help from either the University or the Alumni, and it seems safe

to assume that there are many more who would enter into the sport if it were brought within their financial reach.

If it could be definitely presented to prospective students that they will have the opportunity to join an active student yacht club, that boats will be available for their use at small cost, that they can learn something about the sport if they are inexperienced, and that they can look forward to local and intercollegiate racing when qualified, it seems certain that many desirable men would thereby be attracted to Brown.

To bring this situation into being will require money from some source and it is up to interested Alumni to decide whether or not the experiment is worth the price. If the money is forthcoming, Brown Alumni may be assured that there is sufficient interest at the University to see that it is well used.

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#### *Brown Victories on the Water*

**V**IGOROUSLY pressing to establish small-boat racing as a feature of undergraduate life at Brown University, the Brown Yacht Club scheduled intercollegiate team races early this winter and carried off the honors in each. The boats sailed were "frost-bite" dinghies, and the two opponents were M. I. T. and Yale. The former sent a team to Rhode Island waters, while Brown journeyed to Essex, Conn., to defeat Yale in a close series.

Dean K. Fox '37 is Commodore of the Brown Yacht Club and seeks to develop this extra-curricular activity as a distinctive phase of college life, making use of the natural advantages afforded by Narragansett Bay.

Henry S. Chafee '09, visiting a recent meeting of the Yacht Club, told of the interest of the alumni and administration in the program of the club and reiterated the desire of the alumni that the University have some boats of its own for undergraduate use under proper supervision. At present the dinghies used are the personal property of individual students. Recognition of the Yacht Club's work was taken in a commendatory resolution passed at the December meeting of the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni.

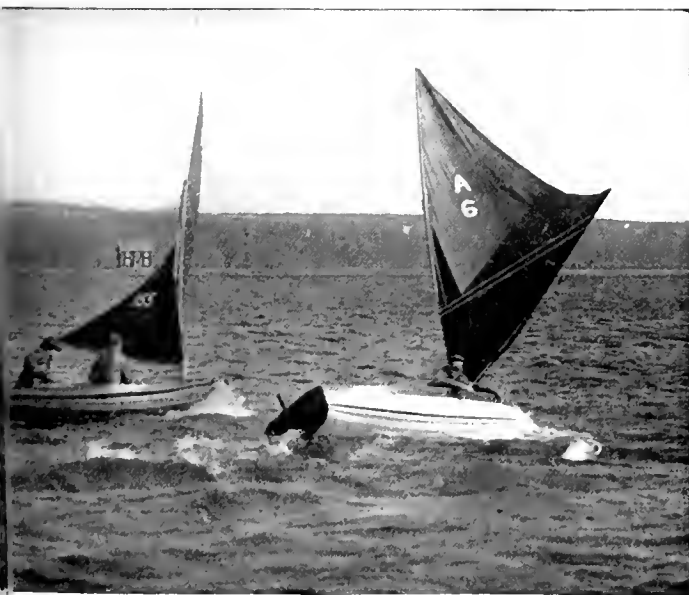
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#### *A Prize Winning Fisher*

**W**ILLIAM E. LINCOLN '68 has another fishing trophy to add to his fine collection. The Atlantic Tuna Club at its annual meeting in November awarded to him the first prize, a silver loving cup, for catching off Block Island last August the largest marlin of the year.

Lincoln's marlin was not a large one, as marlins go. But it was large enough to win the season's honors. It weighed sixty-nine pounds, was seven feet, four and a half inches long, and took 65 minutes to bring to gaff. The marlin has a bill a foot or so long, something like the sword of a swordfish, but shorter and much weaker. It is said that the bill is used for tapping small fish, somewhat as Freshmen may be tapped by their fraternity brothers, and taken in. The ichthyologic name of the marlin is altogether too long to be engraved on any cup smaller than a water pail.

While at Block Island, Lincoln had an adventure so unusual that the news reporters refused to tell their papers about it lest they be called mendacious. He was fishing for tuna with Capt. Harry Smith, who had a strike and who, with his usual courtesy, swapped rods so Lincoln could have the pleasure of playing the fish. The tuna turned out to be



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a small one, but after a hundred feet of line had been reeled in the fish grew very heavy and hard pumping could hardly stir it.

Shortly, however, it was brought to gaff and landed in the boat. Then, much to Lincoln's amazement, he was told by Captain Smith to pull in his fish. He saw that his line was still outside the boat. He reeled in, and there was another tuna—the original fish that had struck first. This tuna had managed to wind the line around the second tuna's gills and tail so that the second tuna came up partly broadside and partly tail first.

A more recent adventure of Lincoln's was hooking a manta in the Gulf of Mexico near the Lincoln winter home at Sarasota. Lincoln was trolling for bonito with a six-ounce tip and an 18-thread line when the manta, or devil-fish ray, took hold and ran out nearly 400 feet of line before the full power of the reel drag could be adjusted. By good luck the line was strong enough to pull the hook out without damage to the tackle. The manta, they say, has a habit of grabbing anchors with its two handlike front fins and towing yachts to sea.

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### TERA for Long Island

HENRY T. SAMSON, '19, executive secretary of ERB, Buffalo, N. Y., and organizer of the relief distribution system for that city, has become district director on Long Island for the New York State TERA. His headquarters are at Mincola. Samson went to Buffalo in May, 1934, and carried out the work of remodeling the relief setup, establishing district sub-offices throughout the city, and bringing all social agencies into one harmonious working group.

"It is always pleasant to see a man of outstanding ability receive the recognition implied in a call to greater responsibility," the *Buffalo Times* said editorially when the news of Samson's promotion to a larger field had been made known. "At the same time, Mr. Samson is going to be sorely missed in Buffalo."

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### School Committee Head

FRANCIS J. BRADY, '16 was re-elected chairman at the organization meeting of the Providence School Committee in December. He will serve for the next two years. Naming him, the *Providence Bulletin* said in an editorial, and keeping the same personnel among the membership, "may be taken to mean that the city's school system will continue to be conducted without change in policy. This body of seven men and women devotes a tremendous amount of time and thought to the municipal educational system, and without reward other than the satisfaction of a public duty well performed."

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### More Graduate Fellowships

TWENTY-THREE additional fellowships and scholarships have been awarded in the Graduate School of Brown University for 1935-36, Dean Roland G. D. Richardson has announced. This brings the total number of Fellows and Scholars in Brown's Graduate School to 56 for this year.

The fellowship stipends range in value from \$500 to \$1,200 in addition to tuition of \$300. Scholarships usually cover tuition in the Graduate School. Those now receiving fellowships and scholarships this year are graduates of 45 different universities in the United States, Canada and Europe.

One of the most distinctive of the 23 new awards is the Corinna Borden Keen Research Fellowship, granted to Dr. Charles Hopkins of Chepachet, R. I., for advanced study and research in mathematics. Hopkins is a graduate of Brown in the class of 1922, receiving his A.M. and Ph.D. from the University of Illinois. The fellowship is made possible by a gift from the late Dr. William Williams Keen '59, distinguished Philadelphia surgeon.

Other distinctive awards include five fellowships under a grant to Brown University from the Committee for the Investigation of Problems of Sex, National Research Council. The work at Brown is on problems in ovarian dynamics, and is being carried on under the direction of Professor William C. Young in the Department of Biology.

The list of the 23 newly selected fellowship and scholarship winners is as follows:

*E. L. Marston Fellowship in Mathematics and Physics*—Robert Ewing Greenwood, Navasota, Texas; University of Texas, 1933.

*Arnold Biological Fellowship*—Edward Wheeler Dempsey, Belpre, Ohio; Marietta College, 1932.

*University Biological Fellowship*—Miss Elnor Van Dorn Smith, Hadley, Mass.; Brown University, 1925.

*University Junior Fellowship in Biology*—Miss Joy Bell, Decatur, Texas; Baylor University, 1933.

*University Junior Fellowship in Economics*—Mrs. Vera Rachel Reynolds Kilduff, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada; University of Saskatchewan, 1934.

*Honorary Fellowships in Chemistry*—Hans Jaffe, Ph.D., University of Göttingen, and C. Christoph Schmelzer, Ph.D., University of Jena.

*Research Fellow under the National Research Council Grant*—Roy Hertz, Ph.D., University of Wisconsin; Department of Pharmacology, School of Medicine, Howard University.



COACHES HONORED HIM

Tuss McLaughry is the new president of the American Association of Football coaches.



*Fellows under the National Research Council Grant*—Edward Wheeler Dempsey, Richard Julius Blandau, Puyallup, Wash.; Linfield College, 1935. John Landrum Boling, Portland, Oregon; Linfield College, 1935. Carl Waldemar Hagquist, Brown University, 1934.

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

*University Graduate Scholarship in Biblical Literature*—Mrs. Silva Tipple Lake, Cambridge, Mass.; University of Vermont, 1924.

*University Graduate Scholarship in Biology*—Russell Perry Hager, Providence; Bates College, 1934.

*University Graduate Scholarships in Chemistry*—William Vaille Loebenstein, Pawtucket; Brown University, 1935. Maurice Eugene

Marks, Providence; Brown University, 1934. Kenneth Leroy Godfrey, Providence; Brown University, 1934.

*University Graduate Scholarship in Philosophy*—Miss Susan Breul, Bridgeport, Conn.; Vassar College, 1935.

*University Graduate Scholarship in Physics*—Charles Robert Wilks, Woonsocket; Brown University, 1934.

*University Graduate Scholarship in Psychology*—Theophile Stanley Krawiec, Central Falls; Colby College, 1935.

*The 1935 Scholarship in English*—John Hazard Wildman, Mobile, Ala.; Brown University, 1933.

*Special Scholarship in Mathematics*—Miss Dorothy L. Bernstein, Milwaukee, Wis.; University of Wisconsin, 1934.

## Brunonia Plays the Game

### *Ostergard a Popular Choice*

WITHOUT a counter-nomination, Warren Ostergard was chosen by football letter-men to lead the 1936 eleven in its campaign of redemption. The captain-elect, who came to Brown from Canton, Ohio, is a popular choice, as the unusual honor of a unanimous ballot testifies. Coming from the same high school that sent Hal Broda '27 to Brown, Ostergard played centre as a freshman, and then played two years in halfback and fullback positions. Next fall may see him back as a centre to fill the hole left by Emery's graduation.

The football season came to its culinary close in December with one of Fred Broomhead's famous "Win, Lose or Draw" Dinners at Carr's. Don Emery received one of the greatest ovations ever given a retiring captain, while

speakers also lauded the spirit of a team which never stopped trying in spite of the lowly role allotted it. "I've never admired any football team as I did this Brown team," said Vice President Mead. "It held its morale to the end." Other speakers struck a similar note; among them: Earl M. Pearce, president of the Brown Club of Providence; Dean Samuel T. Arnold, Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow, Director of Admissions; Dean-Emeritus Otis E. Randall; and President Barbour.

"You Sophomores will live to play on a great team at Brown," was the assurance given by Coach McLaughry.

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### *Sports Indoors*

DESPITE a high percentage of losses among its captains, Brown looked hopefully toward the 1935-36 indoor season in athletics. Basketball, hockey, and wrestling, which started their campaign before the Christmas holidays suspended activity, each had experienced a measure of success before that interval.

Twelve seconds after the first whistle of the year, Brown had scored its first hockey goal, a feat which invited interpretation as an omen. It was one of seven goals piled up against M. I. T. while Coach Taylor was experimenting with various combinations and using 18 players in all. The final result was 7-3 in the Bruin's favor.

One would consider tennis the least perilous of sports, but it was a tennis injury last summer which will keep Captain Harrie Hart on the sidelines during the hockey season. The starting line-up listed Gordon Smithson, left wing; Bill Kerins, centre; Bill Benton, right wing; Don Eccleston, left defense; Charlie Butler, right defense; and Jackson Skillings, goal. Darling, Dye, and Newman have been making up the second shift of forwards, while Hawley, Shepherd, Welsh, and Dunn have also seen much use. Simpson, Appleyard and Olney are reserve defense men.

Skillings, who was recently named Louttit Scholar for the year, began where he left off last year as a brilliant performer in front of the Brown goal. A smashing attack by the top-ranking Harvard team gave him every opportunity to show him at his best on Dec. 20. The Crimson had scored 24 goals in its two previous games, against M. I. T. and B. U., but Skillings and the defense men held it in check. At the end of the contest the Harvard squad descended on the goalie to congratulate him on his fine work. He had made 39 stops, many of them miraculous, and limited the victorious Crimson to one goal a period. Brown gave the rival goalie 14 stops, some of them difficult, but could not score.



### *WIN, LOSE, OR DRAW*

Fred C. Broomhead '05 stresses sportsmanship at his annual dinner to the fall athletes

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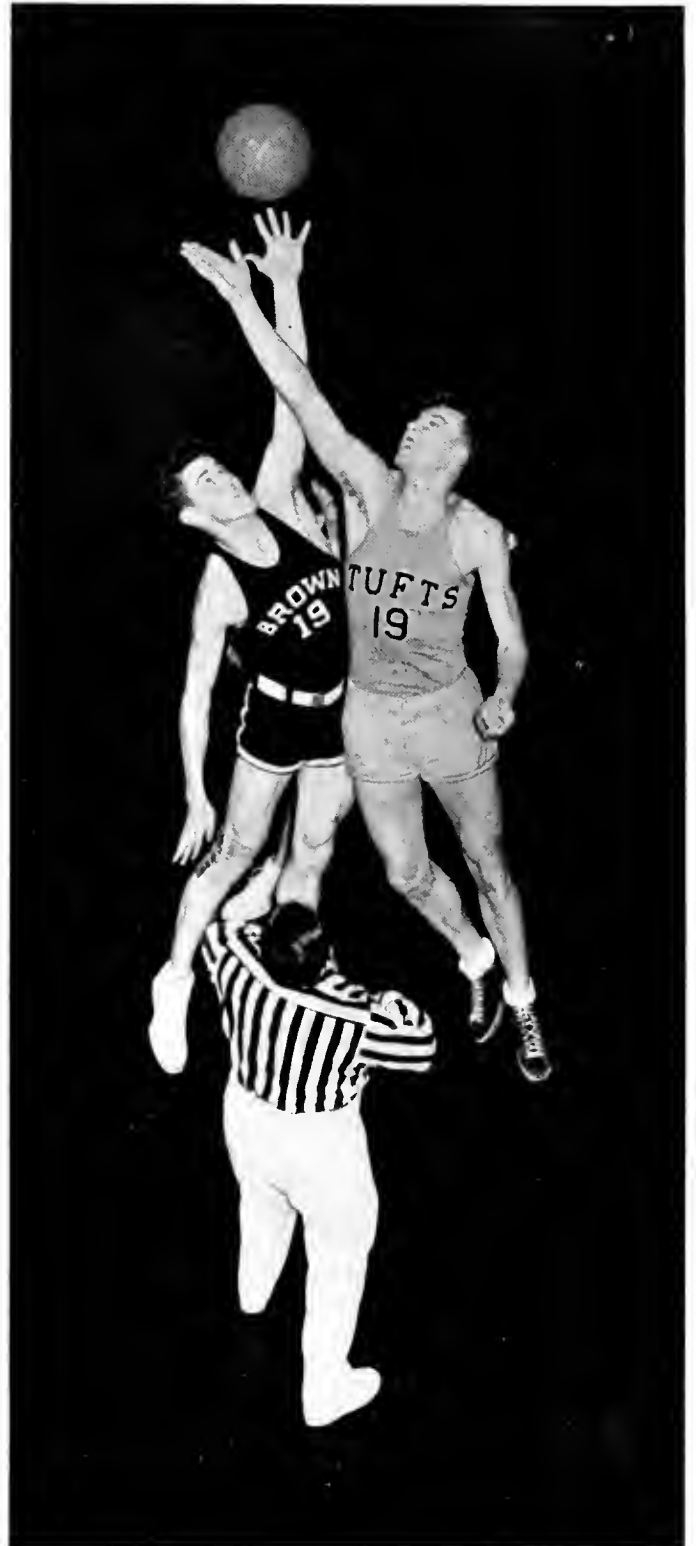
WRESTLING also lost its captain, Ken Beaulieu, through an injury before the season, in touch football. He had been a reliable point-winner in the 118-pound class, and will be missed, though Golner and Cunningham are fighting for his berth. Keegan, undefeated in dual competition as a Freshman last year, will wrestle in the 126-pound division. Zooloomian, 135-pounder, is a veteran, while Lathrop in the next class was undefeated as a Freshman last year and title-holder in the New England Intercollegiates. Another Sophomore, Hall, is the 155-pound representative, with Pease, football player, in as 165. In the heavyweight division Saklad can be counted on to acquit himself well, having twice been New England champion. Senecal had the edge over Turcone in the 175-class.

This predominantly Sophomore line-up outpointed Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute in the inaugural meet in Providence. Cunningham was the only Brunonian to lose his bout, and that after two close overtime periods. Lathrop and Hall (the nephew of Tom Hall '18) won by falls to increase the Brown total to 22 points. Five of Brooklyn's eight points came by default when Coach Cole decided not to risk Saklad's injured wrist, although he was ready to wrestle if points had been needed. The team looks stronger than in several years.

THE basketball quintet has not fully hit its stride as yet nor realized its possibilities partly due to lack of condition. Weakness on foul shots has cost it some critical points, but the season's promise is good. In its opening game, the team met defeat at the hands of a surprisingly capable Alumni outfit. For the grads Howard Floren and Henry Malkowski paired up as forwards, with Samdperil at centre and Oscar Hammer and Bill Karaban as guards. This proved the best offensive combination, while in the second half Abe, Sam and Hyme Heller, Bradshaw, Schein, and Thoresen put up a defense stout enough to hold its slender margin of 35-34 at the gun.

After this game Arthur Akstin was promoted to the varsity to team with Captain Ray Noonan at the forward posts. Kenneth Kennedy, high scorer for New England last season, is again at centre, while the guards are Adolph Sharkey and Harrison Van Aken. The first intercollegiate engagement was with a Clark five that used no substitutes and held Brown to a 43-36 score, contesting the issue throughout. Akstin was high scorer with 13 points. A second Brown victory was added at the expense of Tufts, traditionally a hard team to beat at home. With 10 minutes to go, the Brunonians were nine points behind, but the reserves, including Morcum, Biggs, and Petrone tied the score and forged ahead to win by 45 to 34. Kennedy was the top scorer with 9 points.

A road trip just before the holidays proved none too happy, Wesleyan winning the first game by a one-pointer that broke a 34-34 tie in the last few seconds. At the half Brown had led 17-13 only to have the home team cage 14 points in succession at the resumption of play. Behind 27-17, the Bears rallied to tie the score at 34. The story was told at the foul-line where Wesleyan made good 13 shots against Brown's four. Kennedy's 12 points made him top man. Akstin was out of the line-up, ill, when the team met Trinity the following night, when the Hartford men achieved a 55-33 upset. Brown appeared the better team, but was not quite clicking. She had taken the lead early in the second half, and play was close for 28 minutes. Kennedy scored 14 points.



IN THE AIR: Ken Kennedy, high scorer for New England last season, jumps it out with a rival.

*Burbank Next Soccer Captain*

WALTER W. BURBANK of Larchmont, N. Y., will be captain of varsity soccer next fall. Burbank, who entered Brown from Westminster School, was one of the leading goal scorers in the New England Intercollegiate League last year, finishing in a tie for third.

Brown, with a record of three victories in five league games, finished sixth among the 12 members.

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*Florida for the Swimmers*

NINE members of the Brown varsity and freshmen swimming teams and Coach E. Leo Barry spent the Christmas holiday period at Fort Lauderdale, Florida. The squad left Providence on Saturday, Dec. 21st, arriving in Florida on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th, to spend nine days swimming and vacationing in company with swimmers from other colleges in the East and Middle West. Four of the Moses Brown School swimmers and their coach accompanied the Brown contingent. Brown made the trip for the first time last year.

During the nine days, the routine established a year ago was followed. The men went through their laps in the morning in the pool, then spent a portion of the afternoon swimming in the ocean and resting on the beach.

During the time the swimmers were at Fort Lauderdale, an aquatic clinic, school or forum for coaches and swimmers was held.

A Committee of swimming coaches headed by Sam

Ingram of Colgate, and including the following coaches made the plans for the gathering of swimmers at Florida this year; Bill Merrian, Pennsylvania; "Tug" Kennedy of Amherst; Robert Kiphuth of Yale, Ed Kennedy of Columbia and E. L. Barry of Brown.

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*The Return of Wally Wade*

WALLACE WADE '17, coach of the Duke University football squad, was one of the most interested spectators at the Brown-Colgate game at Brown Field Thanksgiving Day. There was a reason. His Duke eleven, known in the South as the Blue Devils, will open the 1936 campaign with Colgate at Durham. So Wade came back to Brown to do a little advance scouting.

"Colgate is a real good team," he told Everett B. Morris of the *New York Herald Tribune* and Joe Nutter '24 of the *Providence Bulletin*. "Those boys would give any one I've seen this year a real ball game. We're opening with Colgate next year at Durham and we're going to try to make a big day of it."

Wade's eleven caused one of the big upsets of the 1935 season by defeating North Carolina, the most ardent rival of Duke, by a big score and so wrecking North Carolina's aspirations to be invited to the Rose Bowl. Wade is said to be the only man who ever went to the Rose Bowl as a player (with Brown in 1916) and then as a coach. He led three Alabama teams to Pasadena in 1926, 1927, and 1931. These teams won two games and tied one.

## Greek Haul: A Record Pledging

THE largest number of Brown University Freshmen to be pledged in the last decade was reached last month, as 227 Freshmen designated their intentions to join one of the 19 national societies.

This number is 59 per cent. of the Freshman class. Sigma Chi led the group with 19 pledges, while Alpha Delta Phi and Phi Delta Theta were next with 18 apiece.

The number taken by each house: Alpha Delta Phi 18, Alpha Tau Omega 13, Beta Theta Pi 7, Delta Kappa Epsilon 14, Delta Phi 5, Delta Tau Delta 9, Delta Upsilon 16, Kappa Sigma 3, Lambda Chi Alpha 10, Phi Delta Theta 18, Phi Gamma Delta 16, Phi Kappa Psi 7, Phi Sigma Kappa 8, Pi Lambda Phi 16, Psi Upsilon 12, Sigma Chi 19, Sigma Nu 12, Theta Delta Chi 9, Zeta Psi 15.

The fraternity pledge list is as follows:

*Alpha Delta Phi*

Cad W. Arrendell, Jr., Ponca City, Okla.; Lawrence P. Boyce, Baltimore, Md.; Arthur L. Brown, Providence; Edward D. Brown, Cleveland, O.; William W. Creasey, East Orange, N. J.; Donald C. Crosby, Oconomowoc, Wis.; Ralph L. Fletcher, Jr., Providence; Frederick H. Greene, Jr., Belmont, Mass.; Charles E. Gross, 2nd Providence; Daniel Howland, East Greenwich; Harold N. Ipsen, Rockford, Ill.; Windsor Lewis, White Plains, N. Y.; John K. McIntyre, Milwaukee, Wis.; Charles E. Mercer, East Orange, N. J.; Robert S. Rowe, Duluth, Minn.; Howard A. Shaw, Jr., Lakewood, O.; Emery R. Walker, Jr., Oak Park, Ill., and Gordon C. Williams, Amesbury, Mass.

*Alpha Tau Omega*

Richard H. Bell, Danielson, Conn.; Thomas J. Carey, Springfield, Mass.; Thomas N. Farrell, Jr., Worcester, Mass.; James C. Giddings, New Haven, Conn.; Edward A. Krug, Jr., Chicago; Bruce H.

Macklin, Los Angeles; Donald A. Mann, Milford, Mass.; Gregory Murin, Yonkers, N. Y.; George W. Naden, Edgewood; William J. O'Brien, Fall River; Dwight D. Patch, Windsor, Vt.; Thomas J. Quinn, Jr., Providence, and Karl F. Weygand, Taunton, Mass.

*Beta Theta Pi*

Grant B. Bursley, Providence; F. Carter Childs, Boonton, N. J.; Robert A. Cranston, Providence; David S. Delack, Schenectady, N. Y.; Paul R. Miller, Allentown, Pa.; William W. Parker, Windsor, Conn., and John M. Volkhardt, Hasbrouck Heights, N. J.

*Delta Kappa Epsilon*

William Bacon, Providence; William P. H. Battles, Hyde Park, Mass.; Alfred S. Bloomingdale, New York City; Gilbert E. Cain, New York City; William M. Canby, Wilmington, Del.; Arthur A. Cole, Adamsville; Eugene J. Cronin, Jr., Forest Hills, N. Y.; George G. Going, Stamford, Conn.; Irving A. Hall, Jr., Brockton; Gordon A. Kiernan, Detroit; R. Arnold Matteson, West Warwick; William H. Russell, Arlington, Mass.; Walter S. Goodwillie, Jr., Chicago, and George J. Schaefer, Jr., New Rochelle, N. Y.

*Delta Phi*

Henry K. Jaburg, Jr., New York City; David F. Kenyon, Providence; John H. Mason, 2nd, Providence; Richmond P. White, Cranston, and E. Butler Moulton, Cranston.

*Delta Tau Delta*

Lindsey H. Caldwell, Winchester, Mass.; Fred C. Eckel, Syracuse, N. Y.; Richard S. Gates, Denver, Col.; John S. Huerth, Wollaston, Mass.; Henri W. Lange, Jr., Harrison, N. Y.; Robert L. McCracken, Evanston, Ill.; James M. McNamara, Jr., Fitchburg, Mass.; Albert S. Pouliot, Pawtucket, and George E. Witherell, Swampscott, Mass.

*Delta Upsilon*

George G. Allison, 2nd, Langhorn, Pa.; Herbert C. Beasley, Jr., Baltimore, Md.; Ralph L. Blake, Quincy, Mass.; Laurence B. Burwell, New Haven, Conn.; William L. Carter, Portsmouth, N. H.; Robert B. Clark, Providence; Albert S. George, Oak Park, Ill.; Arthur S. Gurney, Hartford; Norman L. Guy, Jr., Providence; Lawrence P. Hastings, New Haven, Conn.; Edward M. Horton,

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Barrington; Howard A. Lane, Jr., Dorchester, Mass.; Alfred H. Macgillivray, Providence; Norris L. McComb, Bloomfield, N. J.; Gustav G. Steneck, Wechawken, N. J.; and Gale G. Wisbach, Newton, Mass.

### Kappa Sigma

Ronald A. Norton, Chiguagante, Chile; Andrew B. Porter, Providence, and Herbert E. Rose, Jr., Providence.

### Lambda Chi Alpha

Charles J. Carignan, Providence; David G. Essex, Attleboro; Norman D. Fulton, Jr., Wilmington, Del.; Chester H. Golding, Jr., Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; William H. Harrison, Jr., Youngstown, O.; Alvin D. Johnson, Lynn, Mass.; Warren S. Landers, North Falmouth, Mass.; H. Stirling McIntyre, Avon, Conn.; Roger L. Savery, Woods Hole, Mass., and Homer Tolivaia, Bridgewater, Mass.

### Phi Delta Theta

Thomas F. Bradshaw, Queens College, N. Y.; Charles D. K. Brown, Scranton, Pa.; Hugh G. Bushell, Hampden, Conn.; Nicholas Carifio, Haverhill, Mass.; Theodore L. Dodge, Philadelphia; James E. Fraser, St. Louis, Mo.; Harold O. Hawvermale, New York City; William W. Hay, Jr., New York City; Richard B. Hutton, Southington, Conn.; George Larkowich, Providence; Edmund H. Longfellow, Providence; Leslie A. Lovett, Nyack, N. Y.; John L. McKenna, New York City; Edward F. O'Connor, Holyoke, Mass.; Robert L. Pitocchelli, Haverhill, Mass.; Nordon B. Schloss, Providence; Richard W. Wamsley, Brighton, Mass., and Robert L. Zellner, Baldwin, N. Y.

### Phi Gamma Delta

Lawrence M. Bairstow, Winchester, Mass.; Edward Denmead, Albany, N. Y.; Frank A. Healy, Jr., Bridgeport, Conn.; William Huke, Jr., Waldon, Mass.; Thomas J. Keating, Milton, Mass.; Willard A. Lees, Westport, Conn.; Thomas L. Mahoney, Jr., Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Robert C. Moore, West Roxbury, Mass.; William S. Reisman, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Frederick A. Smith, Jr., Peekskill, N. Y.; Joseph A. Tomasello, Jr., Jamaica Plain, Mass.; Leonard D. LeValley, New Bedford; David B. Wilmot, Yonkers, N. Y.; Thomas B. Wood, Yonkers, N. Y.; Robert B. Winslow, Greenfield, Mass., and Frederick R. Zulch of White Plains, N. Y.

### Phi Kappa Psi

John T. Barrett, Providence; Frank P. Comstock, 2nd, Buttonwoods; Richard W. Goodby, Providence; Donald C. Howarth, Providence; Frank McEvoy, South Barre, Mass.; R. Foster Reynolds, Jr., Providence, and Clinton T. Taylor, Jr., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

### Phi Sigma Kappa

Ernest E. Alderman, Unionville, Conn.; Robert C. Bogle, Fall River; Albert B. Coop, Jr., Providence; Daniel M. Hicks, 2nd, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edward F. Renfree, Fall River; Robert L. Scowcroft, Providence; James F. Trickett, Jr., Lawrence, Mass., and Walter H. VanCott, Elmhurst, N. Y.

### Pi Lambda Phi

Maurice P. Beck, Providence; Howard G. Brown, Edgewood; Richard O. Fleischer, New York City; Lyman G. Friedman, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Herbert W. Glickman, Providence; Stuart S.

Goldenberg, Brookline, Mass.; Hubert H. Goldberger, Providence; Rudolph Goodman, Haverhill, Mass.; Herbert Lohsenz, Paterson, N. J.; Arthur M. Oppenheimer, Hyland Park, Ill.; Jack I. Podret, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Harold J. Rosenberg, Everett, Mass.; Daniel Schwartz, Boston; James H. Sherman, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Leonard D. Steiner, Far Rockaway, N. Y., and Samuel Ungerleider, Jr., New York City.

### Psi Upsilon

Thomas S. Barrett, Chicago; George V. C. Carter, New York City; James C. Constable, Baltimore, Md.; Foster B. Davis, Providence; A. Standish Francis, South Dartmouth, Mass.; P. Arthur Hartley, 2nd, Fall River; Daniel F. Larkin, Jr., Westerly; John F. Martin, New Rochelle, N. Y.; William C. McLaughlin, Jr., Providence; Robert D. O'Brien, Yonkers, N. Y.; Peter Prindville, New York City; and John H. Vocke, Napoleon, O.

### Sigma Chi

Edwin J. Blease, Swampscott, Mass.; Kenneth L. W. Brown, Lancaster, Pa.; Leonard M. Campbell, Woodridge, N. J.; Francis P. Carr, Jr., Newport; Arthur H. Crosbie, Newton Center, Mass.; William L. Chipman, Weston, Mass.; John S. Davison, Holderness, N. H.; Ralph W. Edwards, Jr., Vermillion, O.; J. Cresson Given, Jr., New York City; Oliver H. Green, Jamaica Plain, Mass.; William G. Meader, Jr., Providence; Raymond J. Lee, Rockport, N. J.; Theodore Lemeska, Webster, Mass.; Earl H. Metzger, Providence; Lewis W. Minford, Jr., Allenhurst, N. J.; Cris D. Norton, Chicago; Floyd M. Shumway, Jr.; Riverdale-on-Hudson, N. Y.; Roy E. Stephenson, Jr., Ponca City, Okla., and Robert L. Whitehead, New York City.

### Sigma Nu

Benjamin P. Ambrosini, East Orange, N. J.; Frank M. Adams, Jr., Providence; Robert A. Bishop, Pawtucket; George E. Blood, Stoneham, Mass.; Chester T. Clayton, Jr., Providence; William N. Donaldson, Jr., Pawtucket; William H. Hogan, Jr., Lynn, Mass.; John H. Leavitt, Chevy Chase, Md.; Carl J. Letsch, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank O'Shanick, Sharon, Pa.; Philip H. Reisman, Jr., New Rochelle, N. Y., and Thomas C. Roberts, Edgewood.

### Theta Delta Chi

Willard H. Baldwin, Boston; Joseph C. Blessing, Ridgewood, N. J.; J. Norton Goeller, New York City; David V. Hull, Ridgewood, N. J.; Millard A. Lovejoy, Holyoke, Mass.; Gordon H. Madge, Providence; Charles A. Reynolds, Providence; Stuart C. Sherman, Providence; G. Holmes Wilson, Providence.

### Zeta Psi

Malcolm P. Decker, Jr., Providence; Kenneth L. Frank, Milwaukee, Wis.; Calvin M. Gordon, Providence; Gardner S. Gould, Jr., Cranston; John M. Hoober, Jr., Lancaster, Pa.; Walter N. Jackson, New Bedford; Karl G. Kaffenberger, Jr., East Aurora, N. Y.; E. Sheldon Knowles, Pawtucket; John C. Leland, Buffalo, N. Y.; Bernard Luce, Jr., New York City; Frederick J. Maxted, Jr., Riverdale, Conn.; Joseph R. Morrow, Jr., Ridgewood, N. J.; Frederick Nast, Jr., Milwaukee, Wis.; Roy Ten-Haagen, New York City, and Russell S. Wood, Easton, Pa.

## For the Brown Man's Bookshelf

### The Real "Amy Lowell"

AFTER many years Professor S. Foster Damon, of the Department of English, has completed, and Houghton Mifflin has published his 800-page, definitive biography, "Amy Lowell: A Chronicle." Aside perhaps from his two books of verse, this is his most personal book to date. For, while two of Mr. Damon's earlier ventures were in critical-biographical fields—his "William Blake" and "Thomas Holley Chivers"—he was himself a friend of Miss Lowell during the last ten years of her life when, as the world still remembers, she fought so picturesquely for the freedom of verse.

Reviewers on all sides seem to agree that the biographer has reproduced the unique personality of his subject. The voluminous quantity of Mr. Damon's evidence has received criticism, but no critic has ques-

tioned the clarity and authenticity of his portrait and chronicle.

Peter Monro Jack, writing in the *New York Times Book Review*, remarked that "Mr. Damon has kept himself in the background and has let Miss Lowell speak for herself, vigorously, voluminously, sensibly or savagely, informatively or repetitiously. He has accepted her complete importance. As far as possible this is Amy Lowell's book." . . . And May Lambertson Becker, in the *New York Herald Tribune Books*, said of the biographer and his subject: "Her personality has so taken possession of his memory, he writes as if she were in the room listening to all he says. This is the book's distinction; it puts her into the room with the reader."

B. K. H., Literary Editor of the *Providence Journal*, summed it up: "Extremely

thorough and illuminating study . . . a work greatly conceived and greatly executed. It will not need to be done again."

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### Book Collecting

JOHN T. WINTERICH'S "Primer of Book Collecting" has recently been put out in an enlarged and revised edition by Greenberg, the New York publisher of Winterich's several books about books and book collecting. The first edition of the "Primer" came out in 1927, and there was an English edition in 1928. "In its present more mature form," said Leonard L. Mackall in *New York Herald Tribune Books*, "this elementary but wise little guide is the result of prolonged and varied personal experience; and it is very well written and easy to read, and tells the beginner just what he will necessarily want to know at first and in

the early succeeding stages of his collecting; and various concrete and sensible suggestions are offered as to new fields or subjects which might prove interesting and worth while." Winterich's class is 1912.

Arthur Deerin Call '96, secretary and editor of the American Peace Society, was the author of the leading article, "Can Parliamentary Government Survive?" in *World Affairs* for December.

## Gentlemen of the Faculty



DEAN RICHARDSON

### President for Brown

DEAN ROLAND G. D. RICHARDSON of the Brown University Graduate School has been appointed official representative of Brown as president of the Association of American Universities. President Clarence A. Barbour announced last month.

In representing the University, Dean Richardson will direct the proceedings of the Association during the coming year in "considering matters of common interest related to graduate study and research." Members of the Association are 32 colleges and universities in the United States and Canada especially recognized for their advanced work.

The 1936 meeting is to be held at the University of Texas, where Dean Richardson will preside, and the 1937 meeting at Brown. At the last meeting at Cornell on Nov. 9, Brown was named "president" for 1935-36, having been "vice-president" during the preceding year. Institutions rather than individuals hold office. Stanford University is now "vice-president" and Yale "secretary."

Dean Richardson is also a member of the Association's committee in charge of classifying universities and colleges where undergraduate work is being provided which will qualify as a basis for graduate work in good graduate schools. Approximately 250 insti-

tutions, including Brown, are on the approved list.

Institutions in the Association of American Universities, in addition to Brown as "president," are California Institute of Technology, the University of California, Catholic University of America, the University of Chicago, Clark University, Columbia University, Cornell University, Harvard University, the University of Illinois, Indiana University, State University of Iowa, Johns Hopkins University, the University of Kansas, McGill University.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the University of Michigan, the University of Minnesota, the University of Missouri, the University of Nebraska, the University of North Carolina, Northwestern University, Ohio State University, the University of Pennsylvania, Princeton University, Stanford University, the University of Texas, the University of Toronto, the University of Virginia, the University of Wisconsin, and Yale University.

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### Eulogizing Dr. Barus

AT Brown University Carl Barus and Alpheus Packard are undoubtedly the most eminent scientists who ever occupied faculty chairs. Professor Barus was a hero-worshipper, and in his home was a genius corner from which pictured faces of great scientists looked down upon him. He rejoiced in contacts with youth and had the great gift, in association and writing, of capturing the love of children.

"The breadth of his interests and achievements was extraordinary—recall his reading of Greek tragedies in the original, his knowledge of French and Italian literatures, and the proficiency he attained in playing the violin, flute, clarinet, oboe, cornet, trumpet and trombone, in addition to the piano and organ. The brilliancy of his intellect, the modesty of his bearing, the beauty of his personality, and the kindness of his spirit have left most precious and inspiring memories with students and colleagues of forty years."

So concludes a minute spread upon the Faculty Records of Brown University and printed in a recent issue of the magazine *Science*. The writers were Professor R. C. Archibald and R. B. Lindsay.

It is an eloquent tribute that they paid to "a brilliant scholar and investigator, long internationally famous, and a beloved colleague who for 40 years had ever been among us a source of inspiration. Although he had attained to nearly fourscore years he walked in our last Commencement procession."

They recall the musical atmosphere of his

boyhood home, his first contacts with science, his early experiments in a home chemical laboratory, his collection of a thousand plants in an herbarium, his studies in this country and under Kohlrausch at Wurzburg. His many associations are noted: the physical research section of the U. S. Geological Survey, his work in meteorology, his aid to Langley in experiments with flying machines at the Smithsonian. Just before coming to Brown at the age of 39 he had published the paper on colloid silver that marked him as one of the founders of colloidal chemistry. His labors and his high honors had only begun with his connection with Brown University. His published output of some 350 articles and monographs in 35 years "can only be regarded as tremendous."

In 1903 the physicists of America rated Professor Barus as second only to Michelson among all physicists of the country.

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### A Berlin Post

DR. ALBERT P. MARTIN, assistant professor of Germanic languages and literatures at Brown University, has been granted leave of absence, in order that he and Mrs. Martin may leave Providence the first of February, to spend two years in charge of the international centre maintained by the Religious Society of Friends, in Berlin, Germany.

Located a block from Unter Den Linden, in a part of the former imperial palace and adjacent to the University of Berlin, the Centre is a meeting place for students who come there for discussions and social gatherings. Professor and Mrs. Martin both will study at the University.

The Berlin Centre is similar to others maintained by the Quakers in Paris, Geneva and Vienna. They are thought of as Quaker embassies and through them as many classes of people as possible are brought together in an effort to keep open channels of understanding between all nations.

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### Other Faculty Notes

PRESIDENT CLARENCE A. BARBOUR gave the benediction at exercises in Providence which inaugurated the program for the year 1936, the city's Tercentenary.

Professor Jacob D. Tamarkin, of the Department of Mathematics, has just accepted an invitation to lecture at the University of California, Berkeley, throughout the summer quarter of 1936. The jubilee volume of the periodical *Fundamenta Mathematicae*, just published in Poland, contains a contribution from Professor Tamarkin's pen.

Word has been just received that at its meeting held last month in Warsaw Professor Tamarkin had been elected a regular member of the class of mathematical and physical sciences of the Warsaw Society of Sciences. This is a high honor which has been conferred outside of Poland on only three other mathematicians among the thirty members in the class.

Professor Charles A. Robinson is the president of the recently re-established Providence Society of the Archeological Institute of America, which has 30 members. Professor George E. Downing is secretary of the group.

## The Letter Box

VICE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE  
BROWN UNIVERSITY  
Providence, Rhode Island

December 13, 1935.

Editor ALUMNI MONTHLY:—

On page 1 of the November issue of the ALUMNI MONTHLY the following sentence appears:

"The principal committee, the advisory and executive committee of the Corporation, will be composed of Zechariah Chafee, Harold B. Tanner, William R. Dorman, and Harold C. Field."

My attention has been called to the fact that possibly this gives the wrong impression of the size of the Advisory and Executive Committees of the Corporation. The persons mentioned were the persons appointed to fill vacancies in the Advisory and Executive Committee. The Committee consists of the following members: The President, Vice-President Mead, both ex-officio; Messrs. Bumpus, Z. Chafee, Sharpe, Dorman, Taber, Tanner, Pendleton, Anderson, White, and H. C. Field; Vice-President Adams (Secretary).

The member of the Corporation who called this to my attention suggested that it might be desirable to correct this impression in the next issue of the MONTHLY. Naturally, I leave this to your discretion.

Sincerely yours,

JAMES P. ADAMS.

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December 4, 1935

THE EDITOR  
BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY  
Providence, R. I.

Dear Sir:

Please accept my congratulations on your November issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY. It is by far the most interesting issue of that magazine I have read in the past ten years.

Among the articles that appealed to me particularly were "Meet the Freshmen," "Football: 'Down From the Heights'," (because of the way it was written), "A Memorable Maiden Speech" and "Housing the Young Idea."

I am sorry to say the geographical distribution of students in the freshman class does not meet my ideas of a national university, but the article was at least interesting. The idea of more tastefully furnished rooms at the University also is appealing, provided students are permitted to exercise some individuality of taste in their decorations.

The formula for Coach McLaughry might be a greater number of sub-freshmen luncheons, such as the Cleveland, Detroit and Chicago clubs used to hold annually at Christmas time. There is material for a good ALUMNI MONTHLY article. Get one

of the alumni or perhaps one of the undergraduates who first became interested in Brown through such a luncheon to describe how it was conducted and his impressions.

I hope these rambling impressions will be of some help to you. I was so astonished to discover a really fascinating copy of the ALUMNI MONTHLY that it was impossible to repress the desire to write and tell you about it.

Very truly yours,  
EVERETT T. MARTEN '25.

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Institut Feller, Grand Ligne  
Province of Quebec, Canada

Dear Sir:

The November issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY was very interesting. It revives cherished memories and inspires pride in the present status of "Old Brown."

LEONARD A. THERRIEN '93.  
Principal.

## The Associated Alumni

### The Executive Committee

THE Admissions Office of the University will shortly send out to all alumni a pamphlet with pictures and suitable text to interest the alumni in admissions work, it was announced at the December meeting of the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni. Charles J. Hill '16, chairman of the Alumni Co-operative Admissions Program, speaking of work in progress, named three points stressed at present: 1—Formulation of a program of procedure for the sub-freshmen committee (Ralph A. Armstrong '17 of Springfield, Mass.; Joseph A. O'Neil '31 of New York; and Royal W. Leith '12 of Boston). 2—Relations with the University, with special reference to a list of objectives to be given by Dr. Bigelow. 3—Relations between the University and the ACAP, including Dr. Bigelow's contacts with local committees.

Chauncey E. Wheeler '09 has accepted appointment to the Commencement Committee. Lawrence Lanpher '23 has asked to be relieved of his post as chairman of the Class Reunions Committee.

Henry S. Chafee '09 and A. H. Gurney '07 will serve as a program committee for the Advisory Council meeting in February.

Henry C. Hart '01 has phrased a proposed amendment to the by-laws of the Associated Alumni to enable an increase in the number of Alumni Fund Trustees, as requested by the latter group. This amendment will be presented to the Board of Directors in February. It was voted that until further ordered by the Executive Committee or the Board of Directors, the following constitute a committee on the Alumni Fund to co-operate and assist the Board of Trustees of the Alumni Fund: Henry S. Chafee '09, Robert H. Goff '24, George R. Ashbey '21, and George Hurley '07.

Dean Arnold as Chairman of the Athletic Council, Byron S. Watson '97 and George S. Burgess '12, alumni members of the Council, and Professor J. P. Adams and C. C. White '00 have been invited to attend the next meeting of the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni.

14 Elston Road  
Upper Montclair, N. J.

Dear Sir:

I've been interested in the comments of some of the football writers in regard to the Brown team this past fall. The most serious situation seemed to me to be the increasing number of afternoon classes. Brown certainly will find itself in the same class, athletically, as M. I. T. if the afternoon classes are continued to the extent indicated in the November ALUMNI MONTHLY.

H. W. PAINE '07.

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Hadley, Mass.  
Dec. 4, 1935.

Dear Sir:

"Permit me to congratulate the ALUMNI MONTHLY on a very frank statement of the athletic situation. I had expected a lot of the nauseous drip we have had the past two or three years."

COL. C. A. TAYLOR '01.

### Washington

CHIEF JUSTICE CHARLES EVANS HUGHES '81 was elected chairman of the Advisory Council of the Brown Club of Washington at the annual meeting at the University Club in Washington, Dec. 16. Harold B. Mistr '27 was again named president, and John A. French '25 secretary.

Other officers presented by the nominating committee and chosen by the Club are: Vice President—Thomas Shotton, Jr. '30; Treasurer—E. R. Cleveland '14; Board of Governors—Dr. Waldo G. Leland '00, William R. Boger '26. Besides Chief Justice Hughes, the new members of the Advisory Council are Dr. William Allen Wilbur '88, Dr. Edwin Grant Dexter '91, Dr. Arthur D. Call '96, and Dr. Leland.

Dr. A. D. Mead, vice president, took the place of Professor J. P. Adams as the speaker from the University because Professor Adams had been called to his home in Michigan by the death of his sister. Dr. Mead told the story of Brown's situation today, and urged full alumni support of the Brown Alumni Fund. The Club has already laid the groundwork for the purpose of getting every Brown man in the Washington district to contribute to the Alumni Fund.

Dr. Mead was the guest of the Board of Governors at dinner at the University Club before the meeting. Milbourne Christopher provided the entertainment by sleight-of-hand tricks which mystified even the young alumni.

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### New York

WITH the arrival of the New Year, plans are under way for the January monthly dinner to be followed by the 68th annual dinner in February. The entertainment committee under the leadership of Ralph M. Palmer '10 is working out details, an account of which will appear in the next issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY.

David H. Scott '32 defeated John M. Curtis '30 in the finals of the Club's Class



C squash tournament. Play in the Metropolitan Class C League has begun, and the members of the Brown Club team facing the opposition are Scott, Curtis, Paul D. O'Brien '27, W. Thomas Hoyt '28, and George R. Coughlin, Jr., '31. To date the Brown players have beaten Bard Hall (Columbia) and the Columbia Club, and lost to the Downtown Athletic Club. They have four matches this month, their opponents being Cornell, Williams, Seventh Regiment, and Dartmouth.

Under the active leadership of W. R. Burwell '15, the Club membership committee has been responsible for keeping the admissions committee busy in recent months. Since October, 16 resident and 18 non-resident members have been approved. Among the new members are W. Kenneth Anderson '27, R. H. Blake '29, S. T. Blanchard '33, A. A. Denico '04, Judge James A. Dunne '98, H. M. Flemming '20, J. C. Gillies '31, J. A. Kingston '34, W. K. Macfarlane '23, Stephen A. McClellan '23, Gordon McMillen '35, Percival Miller '15, J. G. Moriarty '18, J. O. Saunders '35, A. A. Slade '12, and E. R. Whitehead '35. Also E. Leo Barry, Robert

R. Chase '33, H. C. Damon '10, Harold C. Field '94, E. P. Gilman '35, Dr. R. G. Harris '18, Henry C. Hart '01, Royal W. Leith '12, S. P. Metzger, Jr., '25, A. R. Pearsall '32, T. M. Phetteplace '33, Donald V. Reed '35, F. W. Seagrave '12, Carlton S. Stallard '27, Edward C. Stokes '83, H. N. Sweet '07, Chauncey E. Wheeler '09, E. W. Wise, Jr., '35.

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#### Rochester

THE Brown Club of Rochester at its monthly luncheon Dec. 4 heard and discussed a letter from the Alumni Secretary, giving news of events and personalities on College Hill. Said the Secretary, Malcolm C. Brown '19:

"We had twelve alumni out for the luncheon, and have averaged about that for the last three meetings. Thus out of a possible 50 in this vicinity we realized an attendance of roughly 25 per cent. I dare say that Cornell and the University of Rochester, which have the largest alumni bodies in the city, do not maintain a relative performance. This is so despite the fact that the large number of alumni of these institutions

enjoy permits the procurement of able speakers.

"The Brown Club of Rochester welcomes Brown men as speakers, but when those luminaries who are occasionally deflected from their orbits over College Hill are not available, the members of our local Club glitter and glimmer in their stead. . . . Our club, no doubt, is no different from other Brown Clubs, but one may take pride in the fact that it is only the exceptional college in America today that can produce graduates of varied interests who, without other inter-social contacts, can meet once a month for two hours and be in perfect intellectual rapport."

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#### Cleveland

THE Brown Club of Cleveland has appointed a committee to work with the Trustees of the Brown Alumni Fund and the University in financial matters. Harry L. Hoffman '25 is chairman, and his fellow members are Dr. Richard E. Barnes '27, Harold L. Madison '01, A. E. Dillingham '18, Paul L. Stannard '29 and Carl H. Brown, Jr., '29.

## Brunonians Far and Near

BY A. H. GURNEY

### On Municipal Government

BROWN UNIVERSITY was well represented when the National Municipal League held its 1935 meetings in Providence. Among speakers were: Governor Theodore Francis Green '87; Ivory Littlefield '09, a member of the Providence City Council; Norman S. Taber '13; Charles F. Towne '16; Professor Matthew C. Mitchell; Dr. Henry B. Van Hoesen, librarian of Brown University; and Henry D. Sharpe '94, president of the Providence Governmental Research Bureau, who presided over the annual banquet.

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1889

Judge Nathan M. Wright, secretary of the Republican State Central Committee, has changed his residence from Providence to Glen Avenue, West Barrington, R. I.

1890

Dr. James Quayle Dealey, editor of the *Dallas News*, returned to Providence last month with Mrs. Dealey to spend the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Gurney Edwards '18 and Mrs. Edwards. Dr. Dealey lunched at the University Club with H. R. Palmer and Dr. Harry L. Grant and other Brown men, and was as enthusiastic about Texas as ever. He is hopeful that many Brown men and their families will visit Texas this year when the Texas Centennial will be observed.

J. Benton Porter and Mrs. Porter, who spent the summer at Barberry Hill, Wickford, are living at 209 Williams Street, Providence, this winter.

1891

Martin S. Fanning, secretary of the Turks Head Club, Providence, since the founding of the club in 1913, became president at the 23rd annual meeting held last month. Percy W. Gardner '03, A. Chester



Snow '07, and Duncan Langdon '13 were on the nominating committee.

1892

Rev. Albert E. Hylan is spending the winter in Manatee, Fla., where his address is Paradise Court.

1893

The Secretary records with regret the death of Dr. William Burdick in Baltimore, Md., Dec. 21, 1935. An account of his career will appear in the next issue.

1896

Rev. Frederick W. Jones, rector of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church, Wanskuck (Providence), will resign from the parish soon after Easter to return again to Mississippi, where he will devote himself to his cotton plantation at Rosehill, near Jackson. He told his parishioners that the health of Mrs. Jones made it imperative that the family live in the South.

1897

Everett Colby has been serving as chairman of the New Jersey division of the Will Rogers Memorial Fund Committee. A contribution to the fund is "an investment in optimism," he told his auditors in a talk over WOR, Newark, last month.

The Virginians, at their annual dinner in New York on Dec. 5, gave to John D. Rockefeller, Jr., a medal in appreciation of Rockefeller's restoration of Williamsburg, the colonial capital of Virginia.

George L. Miner is the new chairman of the Governor's Committee on Street and Highway Safety in Rhode Island. He represented Rhode Island at the State Accident Prevention Conference held in Washington last month under the direction of Daniel C. Roper, Secretary of Commerce.

Horace G. Bissell has opened an office for the general practice of law at 49 Westminster Street, Providence.

Professor of Philosophy at Long Island University, Gregory D. Walcott gave a lecture on "Philosophy and Common Sense" before a large audience at Davidson College, Davidson, N. C., the evening of November 1, and another lecture on "The Nature of Science" the following morning before a group of about seventy-five students especially interested in philosophy and science. Later in the forenoon he addressed a class in psychology for about twenty minutes.

1899

Frederick A. Vose, for the past 26 years an associate of John A. Gammons, Inc., is now with Gamwell & Ingraham, insurance and real estate, on the 16th floor of the Industrial Trust Building, Providence. Friends and acquaintances "just dropped in" Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 9 and 10, to say hello to him in his new surroundings.

## Westchester Water

FRANK E. WINSOR '91, chief engineer of the Metropolitan Water Supply, Boston, spoke at a mass meeting in the Little Theatre, White Plains, N. Y., last month on the possibility of adapting to Westchester County a water system similar to the Boston one. Winsor is no stranger in White Plains, as he lived there between 1906 and 1915, while he was engaged in building Kensico Dam, the Catskill Aqueduct and other units for the New York City water system.

## 1900

George C. Wing, Jr., was defeated for re-election as Mayor of Auburn, Me., at the annual election Dec. 11. Ernest E. Estes, 56-year-old crossing tender in the employ of the Maine Central Railroad and a boyhood friend of Wing, carried the day by 61 votes. Wing's defeat, the newspapers said, was a real upset, but the Mayor-elect was less concerned with this fact than he was with the fact that he intended to keep his job as crossing tender. A mayor's salary of \$450 isn't worth giving up a lifetime place for, he told interviewers. Elections in Auburn are on a non-partisan basis, as the city has a council-manager form of government.

Clinton C. White's wife, Musetta Frances (Budlong) White, died in Providence, Dec. 18, 1935, after a short illness. Mrs. White was a member of the Class of 1902 at Pembroke College. The sincere sympathy of our class is given to White.

## 1901

Dr. Arthur Irving Andrews was a recent speaker before the Community Forum, Fitchburg, Mass., on "Nationalism and European Minorities."

Louis C. Parsons, special student with the class for two years, has retired from business and is living in Norwich, N. Y.

C. Sherman Hoyt was elected a member of the model committee of the New York Yacht Club at the annual meeting last month.

## 1903

Louis F. Baker's son, Ensign George T. Baker, who graduated from the Naval Academy, Annapolis, last June is attached to the U.S.S. Lexington, airplane carrier, at San Diego, Calif.

Percy W. Gardner is a director of the American Peace Society.

John Hutchins Cady, chairman of the State Planning Board, has collaborated in the design and drawing of an official historical map of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations for the State's tercentenary (1636-1936) this year. The map, now on public sale, will be of interest to Brown men everywhere.

## 1905

Colgate Hoyt is a member of the membership committee of the New York Yacht Club for 1936.

Dr. Charles A. Hobbs reports that his "two young hopefuls, Donald and Priscilla, are in their third year at the University of Minnesota," and that he enjoyed meeting Dr. Mead, Professor J. P. Adams and Professor Horatio Smith during the visit of the

Faculty members to Minneapolis in November. Hobbs's office is at the corner of Nicollet Avenue and 26th Street, Minneapolis.

## 1906

Wayne L. Randall's son, Gardner D. Randall, former member of the Class of 1936 on the Hill, will go on duty at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., Jan. 15, to receive instruction in naval aviation. He did his preliminary work at Floyd Bennett Field, near New York, and stood number four in a class of 15.

Percy Shires has an important publicity post in connection with the Rhode Island observances of its Tercentenary, 1936.

T. Elliott Tolson, president of the Hotel Bristol, New York, says business has improved materially and the future looks brighter than it has for many years. During the last summer he conducted a survey of reasons why guests stop at the Hotel Bristol while in New York. More than half said they came because of previous visits or were sent by former guests.

## 1907

R. W. McPhee and his family are now occupying the old Hermitage Fraternity house at 1808 Hermitage Road, Ann Arbor, Mich. "It's a big house," McPhee said in a letter to Al Gurney, "so if you ever get out this way you may have your choice of North, East, South, or West exposure, and two bathrooms for your own personal and private use, with a couple of acres to roam around in—woods, greensward, or flower garden." His two daughters are at the University of Michigan, where one is majoring in history and the other in romance languages, and his son is in high school, with ambition to be somebody in the business of aviation. McPhee, whose business continues to be real estate, asked to be remembered to "any and all who care to know" and said that he would try to be at reunion in 1937.

H. W. Paine's older son, Rolf, is a Junior at Princeton, having dropped back a class as a result of a football injury. While he was out of college he went to South America for the year to do mineral prospecting.

Rev. John H. McLean, minister of the Old Cambridge Baptist Church, Cambridge, Mass., since 1925, has recently become minister of the First Baptist Church, New Haven, Conn., and is living at 195 Livingston Street, New Haven.

A Chester Snow's daughter, Miss Martha Sackett Snow, was presented to society at the Agawam Hunt Club, Dec. 20.

George E. Burnham, in Manila the day the China Clipper of the Pan American Air-

ways arrived on its first trip, sent a letter to Al Gurney by return mail. The letter was postmarked: Manila, Dec. 2; San Francisco, Dec. 6; Providence, Dec. 9. "It took five days to come out," George wrote, "but they expect to do it in three days as soon as they start regular operation. Makes you feel a little nearer home. Three years from now when I hope to take my next leave maybe I'll travel airplane." George commented confidentially on the new Commonwealth of the Philippines, and said he had recently seen Henry Corp., "who still holds his job (railroad) and bids fair to stick for a while yet along with a few other experts in various lines."

## 1908

Hunter S. Marston and Mrs. Marston have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth J. Marston, to Robert Marvel of Wilmington, Del., a Senior at Yale.

Dr. Harlan T. Stetson was the author of "What Was the Star of Bethlehem?" in *This Week* for Dec. 22. He gave astronomical data for readers to consider and choose among, and ended: "But why worry about the reality of the Star of Bethlehem, when each Christmas brings the bright star Sirius, the brightest of all stars in the sky, clearly into view above the eastern horizon? . . . Isn't it sufficiently satisfying to bring to mind each season the significance of the events which we commemorate in Christmas?"

## 1909

Clarence M. Whipple is New York State Compensation Officer with WPA, and lives at 110 Melrose Avenue, Albany, N. Y.

## 1910

Rev. Stephen D. Pyle, minister of the Peking Union Church, Peiping, China, and Mrs. Pyle are in this country on furlough, and their address is in care of Harvey O. Dobson, 189 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. It is Pyle's first visit home since March, 1929. "After an existence of rickshas and coolie-service and chopsticks," he said in a letter, "I have a strong suspicion that the over-powering contrast of West and East will render me for once a bit humble, and unsteady, and that I shall need to be led around rather gently."

William H. (Billy) Lynn is still going strong as the leading man of "Three Men on a Horse" in New York City. The run of this comedy hit of 1934-35 (it's a year old now) shows no signs of slowing down.

Ralph M. Palmer was recently elected president of Ferro-Nil Corporation, of which he has been vice president and general manager since 1927.

## 1911

Miss Dorothy W. Smith, daughter of Brenton G. Smith and Mrs. Smith, was presented to society at the Agawam Hunt Club, East Providence, Dec. 20.

Major Harold B. Bliss, C.A.C., U. S. A., is at present on duty at Fort Sill, Okla.

Katherine L. G. Breckenridge, wife of Andrew L. Breckenridge of New Haven, Conn., is the author of "Salt Air," a sea-side story, which the Alliance Press has published. The book is Mrs. Breckenridge's first.

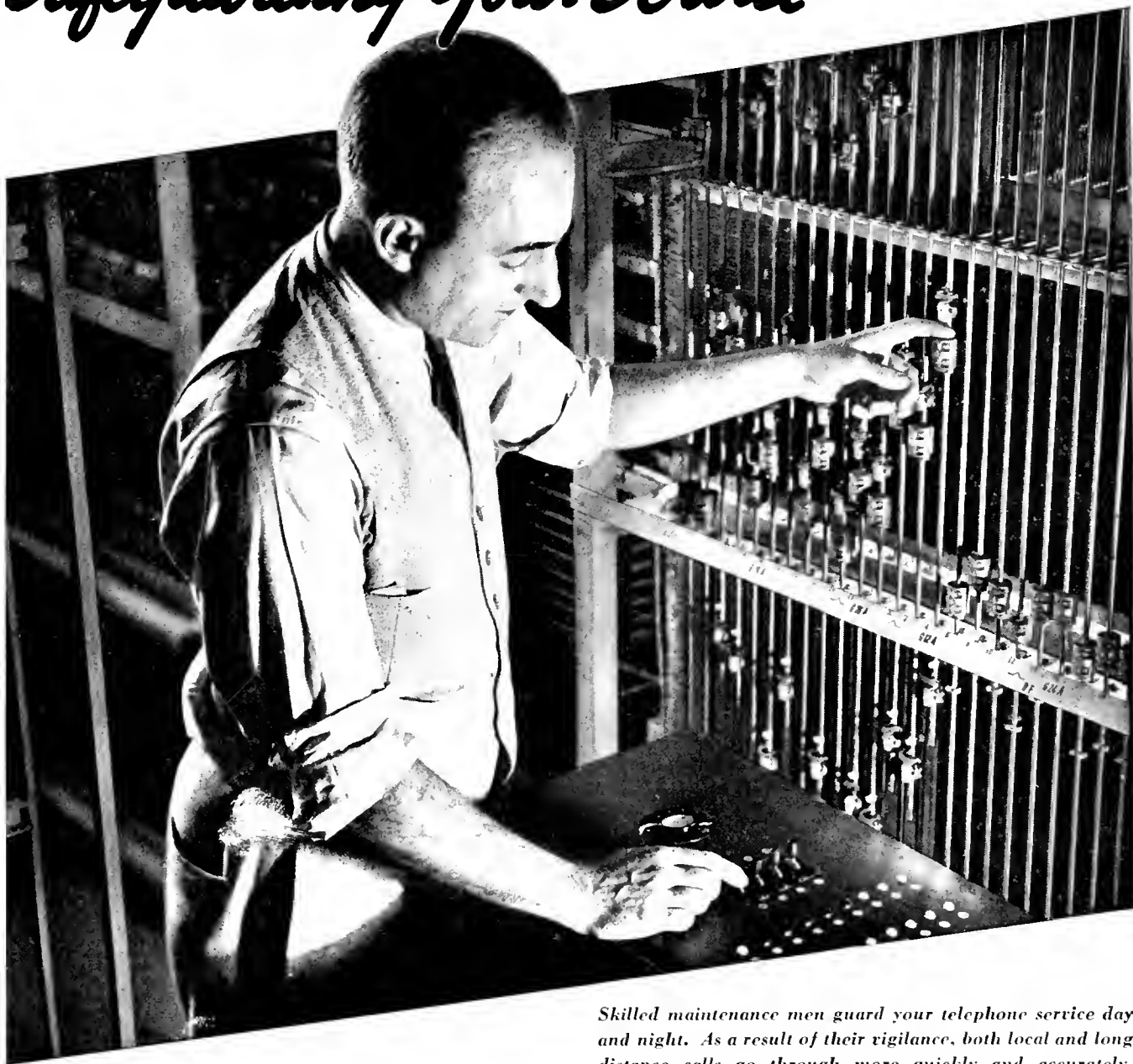
P. Douglas McPhee is still raising apples and engaging in real estate in his spare time at 913 Highland Drive, Wenatchee, Wash.

## Camera Comment

DR. GEORGE H. SHERWOOD '98, educational curator of the American Museum of Natural History, New York City, spoke at the preview of the Metropolitan Salon of Photography at the Museum last month. The salon was the first of its kind to be shown in New York, and the 325 photographs in it were the work of both amateurs and professionals in a prescribed area.



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Talk about the 25th Reunion next June is beginning to crystallize. If you have any ideas or suggestions, send them right along to your Class Secretary, Charles P. Sisson, 1408 Turks Head Building, Providence.

## 1912

Dr. W. Randolph Burgess of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York has been re-elected treasurer of Phi Beta Kappa Foundation.

Harry G. Seidel, vice president and director of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, with his headquarters in London, came home with Mrs. Seidel for the holidays, and divided their time between Providence and New York City.

Samson Nathanson, former president of the Touro Fraternal Association, has become a member of the board of directors of the association for three years.

## 1915

Warren P. Norton, superintendent of schools of Meadville, Pa., in a recent letter to the Alumni Secretary said: "I am still hoping to be able to get back to Providence some day. My six-year-old son is very anxious to see the college that produced his dad. He says that he expects to attend Brown."

Maurice J. Sievers, secretary of the United Jewish Social Agencies of Cincinnati and executive secretary of the Cincinnati Jewish Welfare Fund Campaign, spoke on "The Problem of Social Security" at the last annual meeting of the Institute for Volunteer Workers of the United Jewish Social Agencies.

Lieut. Governor Robert E. Quinn has come out strongly in favor of the view that Rhode Island cities should adopt a single Council system with a small number of Councilmen elected at large "to secure a better government through election of a higher type of individual to public office."

John A. W. Pearce is principal of the Saugus, Mass., High School and lives at 15 Myrtle Street, Saugus.

## 1916

THE Class Executive Committee, meeting recently at the University Club, made preliminary plans for the 20th Reunion in June. Jack Dunn of New Bedford; Ike White and Joe Halloran of New York; Everett Perkins of Boston and Newburyport; and Jack Moore, Paul Lyall and Phil Feiner of Providence were added to the

committee as a Reunion Committee. Men were assigned to handle the different parts of the program, and soon full announcement will be made of the high spots of the Reunion, which no '16 man within reaching distance of Providence and the campus can afford to miss. So mark the days June 12, 13, 14, 15 on your new calendar, give your wife or boss, or both, due notice, and come back for one of the best times of your life.

Major J. Lindley Gammell's address is the 105th Field Artillery Armory, 171 Clermont Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., where he is instructor on duty with the New York National Guard.

Alderman John J. Cashman of the Fifth Ward, Providence, is an examiner in the division of banking and insurance, State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. He was appointed last month by M. Joseph Cummings '18, chief of the division.

## 1917

James S. Powers is the new manager of RKO Proctor's Theatre in New Rochelle, N. Y. For the past three years he has been manager of the theatre belonging to the same chain on 58th Street, New York City.

Wayland W. Rice has become secretary of the Turks Head Club, Providence, succeeding Martin S. Fanning '91.

## 1918

One of the column writers of the *New York Daily News* wrote toward the close of the 1935 football season:

"Brown has the worst team, but the best scholastic standing in the East. Jimmy Jemal, now the Inquiring Photog, was a star halfback at Brown. 'All I had to do to earn my way was wash dishes, wait on training table and peel a standard sack of spuds daily; tend the Phi Gamma Delt frat furnace and share a room. Although I played in the Rose Bowl game with Fritz Pollard,' says Jim, 'I was shy tuition money after receiving a small scholarship. The Brown Club of Providence loaned me \$85. Two years out of school the club presented the note, demanded, and received payment. Now do you understand why no one will ever accuse Brown of being a football factory?'"

Harold Williams was again a leading figure in the annual Christmas show staged by the men of the Providence Art Club, writing the play and taking the central character of "the last Republican postmaster."

## 1919

Marvin W. Ray is with the Publicity Department, P. F. Collier & Sons, in Boston, and lives at 21 Harvard Avenue, Brookline, Mass.

Donald G. Millar's yacht *Nancy* received third prize for the season and first prize in the fall series of the Interclub Class at the annual meeting and dinner at the Yale Club, New York City, last month.

Malcolm C. Brown, accountant with the Department of Finance, City Hall, Rochester, N. Y., recently changed his residence to 341 South Goodman Street, Rochester. He is secretary of the Brown Club of Rochester.

Roger T. Clapp gave a talk on Mark Twain before the British Empire Club in Providence last month in recognition of the Twain anniversary.

## 1920

F. William Zeller, former aviation com-

missioner of New York City, is vice president in charge of traffic of Marine Airlines, recently organized to operate a high speed service between Boston and New York. Service will begin next summer, and "the 190-mile flight itself will require but an hour and a quarter."

## 1921

Nathan W. Edson has joined Bliss Fabian & Co., Inc., and has charge of candlewick and blanket distribution in the New England territory. He is working out of the Boston office at 140 Federal Street.

## 1922

Bertrand M. Lewis is in Los Angeles, where he intends to establish himself in the dry ice business.

Raymond T. Rich, director of the World Peace Foundation, has his name in the new edition of the international "Who's Who." He has been listed in "Who's Who in America" since 1932.

Harold M. Edwards is getting some relaxation from his law practice this winter by appearing with the community players in their productions in Bronxville.

## 1923

Robert T. Williams, special agent and adjuster with the Aetna Insurance Company, now has his offices in the California State Life Building, Sacramento, Calif. "It's God's country," he wrote last month, "after five years in Salt Lake City. . . . My home is at 718 21st Street. Ran into my old friend Dave Goddard '24 at the big game (California-Stanford) at Palo Alto."

Robert J. Russell, Jr., special representative of the General Reinsurance Corporation at 90 John Street, New York City, reports his new house address to be 47-31 157th Street, Flushing, N. Y.

S. Key Dickinson is Assistant State Director of the National Youth Administration for West Virginia. His office is at 308 Smallbridge Building, Charleston. In a note at the end of his postal card he said that Robert F. Cahill had moved to Coral Gables, Fla.

Donald C. Rubel has been admitted to partnership in the New York Stock Exchange firm of Parrish & Co.

## 1924

Earle Vincent Johnson, executive with the Republic Realty Mortgage Corporation,

## Michigan Tribute

THE *Michigan Technic* for November carried a character sketch of Albert Easton White '07, Professor of Metallurgical Engineering and Director of Engineering Research at the University of Michigan, in recognition of his recent election as vice president of the American Society for Testing Materials. "While an undergraduate at Brown University," said *Technic*, "Bert White was known as a quiet boy who did his work well and left fame and publicity to those who were more desirous of it than he. . . . In his sophomore year he played centre on his class football team which did not have a point scored against it in two years of competition. His deep loyalty to Brown has shown itself in his active participation in alumni affairs."

Chicago, has changed his house address to 820 South Crescent, Park Ridge, Ill.

Harold Hassell is working for Price, Waterhouse & Co., auditors and accountants, in New York City.

1925

Newell A. Norton, with a new son in his family, is still on duty at the U. S. Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, Wis., with his special work in the section of silvicultural relations of which Arthur Koehler, wood expert in the Lindbergh kidnapping case, is in charge. The Nortons are living at 2007½ University Avenue, Madison.

Garrett D. Byrnes, motion picture editor of the *Providence Evening Bulletin*, had an assignment recently that would make anyone envious. He was sent out to Hollywood for three weeks. Since his return he has been writing a series of intimate stories about the inside of the film industry that is the best thing of its kind we have seen.

Richard H. Anthony is handling publicity for the Rhode Island Auditorium in addition to his magazine and photographic work.

1926

William A. Knipe, 2nd, auditor with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, has deserted New England for the time being, he says, and is living at 4615 North Hamilton Street, Chicago. He is working out of the Chicago office of his company.

Melchior Gurjian is registrar of the Emergency Program of Collegiate Studies carried on at the Providence Y. M. C. A. for the benefit of high school graduates who could not afford to enter college this academic year.

Jacob S. Temkin was installed this month as president of the Touro Fraternal Association of Rhode Island, succeeding Samonson Nathanson '12.

1927

Dr. Richard E. Barnes, we hear, has become one of Cleveland's rising young yachtsmen. Dick "each year buys a sailboat a little longer or a little better than the one he had, and continues to take a full share of the prizes in the summer regattas on Lake Erie."

President Byron S. Hollinshead of Scranton-Keystone Junior College, wrote the leading article for the *New York Herald Tribune's* educational page Sunday, December 22, on the place the junior college may well play in fitting for technical vocations those students who will not continue their education beyond the junior college.

Selig Greenberg's column, "Sense and Nonsense of the Week," in the *Providence Evening Bulletin*, is one of the best weekly features of that newspaper. Greenberg has been a member of the city staff of the *Evening Bulletin* since graduation.

Harold B. Mistr has been re-elected president of the Brown Club of Washington.

Paul D. O'Brien, with the law firm of O'Brien, Driscoll and Raftery, keeps in good physical shape by playing squash, and has developed a game good enough to win him a place on the Brown Club of New York squash team.

Dr. Walter P. Gage reports his new address to be 667 Madison Ave., New York City.

Anybody in the Class ever see or hear from George B. Cole? The Alumni Office would like to get correct information concerning Cole's present whereabouts.

1928

Harold K. Halpert, after teaching at Duxbury Academy, Duxbury, Mass., for the past five years, has deserted the school room for business and at present is with the Mill End Shop and is living at 520 Northeast 26th Street, Miami, Fla.

Dr. Frederick Behrendt is practising dentistry with his offices in Suite 1808, 11 Wall Street, New York City.

G. Richmond Carpenter of the city staff of the *Providence Evening Bulletin* is living at 78 Third Street, Providence.

The Alumni Office would like to get the present address of Thomas L. Jones, once of Kentucky and later of Binghamton, N. Y. Anybody know anything about Tom?

San S. Friedman is an executive with the Hecht Company, Washington, D. C.

1929

Willis H. Gerry, setting himself down as free lance writer, reports his present address to be 11½ Vicente Terrace, Santa Monica, Calif.

Lester F. Shaal and his family have changed their house address to 39 Norwood Avenue, Edgewood, R. I. Les is still active as a research engineer.

Donald C. Marschner is assistant advertising manager of Shell Eastern Petroleum Products, Inc. Here's a chance for some enterprising Brown man to go to work on Don to persuade him to change the colors of the Shell service stations from yellow



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and red to brown and white. Don has been with the Shell firm since graduation.

Fred Bentley, lawyer in Cleveland, is a member of the First Cleveland Cavalry polo team, and an observer tells us that Fred is developing into a fine player.

Win Dodge came to the campus recently to get some Brown football films to show at a football banquet in New Bedford. The teams he has coached at the high school there have lost only six games in four years. One year, the season in which he succeeded the late "Jimmy" Murphy, the eleven went undefeated. The next it lost one game, the following season two games, and this year three, in a neat if not pleasing progression.

1930

Milton J. Landman is a department manager with L. Bamberger & Co., department store, Newark, and is living with his family (his boy Neil is going on two years old) at 293 South Centre Street, Orange, N. J.

Dr. Munroe Dashoff has opened an office for the general practice of dentistry at 7 Broadway, Newport, R. I.

Maurice W. Hendel is the new vice president of the Touro Fraternal Association of Rhode Island.

Ralph Anderton is again serving as coach of the East Providence High School wrestling squad.

1931

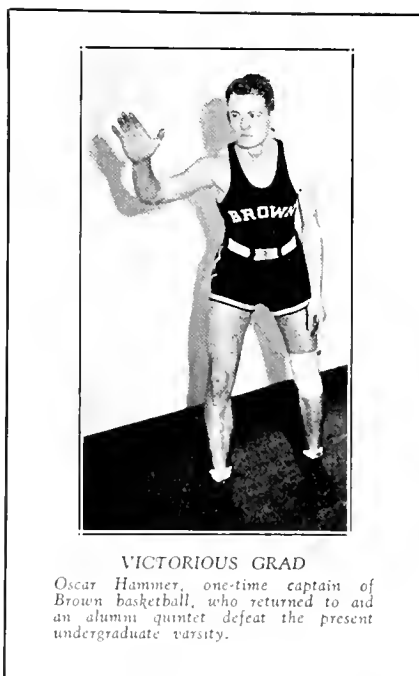
THE Fifth Reunion of the Class will be held at Watch Hill in June. There's a fact for every member of the Class to make note of right away. Joe O'Neil as chairman of the reunion committee has already called two meetings of various New York members of the Class to get things started. A questionnaire has been mailed to all members asking for data on what they are doing, marriage, children, and the like. This information will be used to compile a "Who's Who," which will be multigraphed and mailed late in February.

The reunion will start officially at luncheon at a Watch Hill hotel at noon Saturday, June 13. The afternoon will be for swimming, golf, and tennis; a business meeting will precede the informal dinner, which, with entertainment, is expected to last through the evening. Joe Micucci and Bill Kernan have been giving thought to the type of entertainment to be presented—and that is a guarantee in itself that everything will be tops. Sunday will be to do with as you will, and the reunion will come to a close with breakfast at the University Club and the march down the Hill in the Commencement procession Monday morning.

The New York group which has started the ball rolling is composed of Joe O'Neil, Lee Marshall, Ben Leonard, Happy Hapgood, Joe Micucci, Bill Kernan, and George Coughlan. It is planned to enlarge the group very shortly so as to have a diversified committee representing all sections of the country and to get as many new ideas and as much co-operation as possible. Any member of the class who has any suggestions will please send them promptly to Joe O'Neil at the Brown Club, 39 East 39th Street, New York City.

Wesley F. Huse is with the United Fruit Company, we hear, at Armuelles, Panama.

Richard J. Walsh is selling artists' materials, with his headquarters at 10 East 43rd Street, New York City. He is getting his mail at Richards Avenue, R. F. D. 37, South Norwalk, Conn.



VICTORIOUS GRAD

Oscar Hammer, one-time captain of Brown basketball, who returned to aid an alumni quintet defeat the present undergraduate varsity.

Kenneth A. Henn, whose marriage is reported in another column, is working for Warner & Swasey Company, 5701 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, O. He says that he is an "embryo salesman," if you must give him a title. Anyway, he is going through an extensive training course and next fall will start out on the road. Red McDonough and Walter Wentworth took part in the wedding ceremony, and Kenn wrote: "It was the first time that the three of us had been together since graduation, and we had so much fun reminiscing that we almost forgot to get me married!" He also said that Bud Robertson was married, had a baby daughter, and was doing well with a Cleveland printing company.

John M. Moler, with a series of special business courses behind him, is now getting practical experience in the offices of the Rock Island Railroad at 500 Fifth Ave., New York City. John's new house address is 43 Pennsylvania Ave., Crestwood, N. Y.

Richard H. Howland is on his way back to Greece, having sailed on the Majestic last month from New York after spending the summer and fall in this country. Dick holds the Agora Fellowship of the American School of Classical Studies at Athens, and will study and do archaeological work in Greece during the next three years.

Dr. Mortimer D. Burger is an interne at St. Joseph's Hospital, Yonkers, N. Y. At the College of Medicine, University of Vermont, where he took his M.D., he was a member of Phi Delta Epsilon.

C. L. Jones, editor of the *Maplewood News* and *South Orange Home News* in New Jersey, is also manager of the Suburban Newspaper Exchange, which supplies a growing list of smaller newspapers with syndicate features. Frank Merchant '31 is literary editor for the Exchange.

Robert M. Rutan, with James F. White & Co., Inc., importers of burlaps and linens at 54 Worth Street, New York City, wrote last month: "I am looking forward to our fifth reunion, and hope to see a lot of the boys back."

1933

Bob West writes that he has been working for MGM at the company's motion picture studios for the past nine months and that Mrs. West and he are living at 8260 Norton Street, Hollywood, Calif. "My sole ambition in life now," he wrote, "is to see Brown play in the Rose Bowl sometime before I have to take to a wheel chair or crutches. Say they win one more game each year than they did the year before and they should play here approximately in 1944. This past season was pretty grim . . . but I am glad to see that they are not gunning for Tuss's scalp."

Gene Hart is with the F. H. Devitt Agency of the Equitable Life Assurance Society at Room 826, 60 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Joe Sugarman is practising law, with his office at 18 Tremont Street, Boston.

Russ Dolan is beginning his third year in the Commercial Department, New England Telephone & Telegraph Company. He's been on duty in Taunton, Mass., for the past two years.

Al Griffiths and Art Skeel are back in the old home town of Cleveland, and are doing well in insurance and real estate respectively. Al has a wife and a baby boy, and Art is making enough in real estate to travel to out-of-the-way places whenever the inclination strikes him. Art's new address is 2636 North Moreland Boulevard, Cleveland Heights, O.

1934

Hugh Welshman, Jr., is a student sales engineer in the heating, power and industrial piping division of the Grinnell Company, Providence. Hugh and Mrs. Welshman are now happily settled in their new apartment at 229 Camp Street.

Herb Phillips has joined the sales staff of the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, 1228 Industrial Trust Building, Providence.

Norm Singleton, we hear, is trying his hand at writing advertising copy for the Gorham Mfg. Company, silversmiths, and is also learning the details of retail sales, and such. During the holidays and for three weeks preceding them, he worked in the Maiden Lane store of the company in New York City.

Bob Knapp, member of the Class in Freshman year, is playing polo with the First Cleveland Cavalry team and is becoming an outstanding player in his section of the Middle West.

1935

Walter Bopp is in the statistical department of Reynolds & Co., investment securities, at 120 Broadway, New York City.

Walter S. Peck, Jr., is a first-year student at Colgate Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, N. Y.

Ross de Matteo is with the Collyer Insulated Wire Company, Pawtucket, to learn the business from the ground up.

Tilden B. Mason is doing graduate work in economics at the University of Michigan.

Frank S. (Jeff) Read is working for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at the Chicago office, Room 625 Federal Reserve Building, 164 West Jackson Blvd.

Ed Read is learning something about the brokerage business with Hornblower & Weeks, 39 South La Salle Street, Chicago.

## ENGAGEMENTS

MISS HELEN LOUISE BREED, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Breed of Swampscott, Mass., to Robert E. Arnold '29 of Central Falls, R. I.

Miss Dorothy T. Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester V. Clark of Ridgewood, N. J., to Harold I. Smith '30 of Verona, New Jersey.

Miss Elizabeth Webb Bucklin, daughter of Mrs. Daniel Dailey Bucklin of Providence, to John E. Flemming, Jr., '33 of Brooklyn, N. Y. Miss Bucklin is Pembroke '34.

Miss Florence Louise Spear, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse G. Spear of Auburn, to Leonard S. Taber '33, also of Auburn, R. I.

Miss Marion Teller, daughter of Mrs. Marion E. Teller and a graduate of Mills College, to William F. Kroll '35, Piedmont, Calif. Kroll studied at Brown before transferring to the University of California.

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## WEDDINGS

1925—Herbert W. Spink and Miss Alice G. Hathaway '25, Pembroke, were married in Providence, Aug. 12, 1935. They live at 104 Ontario Street, Providence.

1925—Alfred L. Simon and Miss Marguerite Mansell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mansell, were married in Mamaroneck, N. Y., Nov. 17, 1935. They are living in Ballston Spa, N. Y.

1927—Edward Goldberger and Miss Marjorie Alice Lowenstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Lincoln Lowenstein, were married in New York City, Dec. 19, 1935. Dr. Milton Goldberger '24 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Goldberger are living in Providence.

1931—Kenneth A. Henn and Miss Margaret Tolan were married in Cleveland Heights, O., Oct. 5, 1935. Joseph M. McDonough, Jr., '31 was best man, and Walter W. Wentworth, 2nd, was an usher. Mr. and Mrs. Henn are at home at 1871 Roxford Road, Cleveland, O.

1931—Walter H. Taverner, Jr., and Miss Elizabeth Mae Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ackerman, were married in Westfield, N. J., Nov. 27, 1935. They live at Carleton Towers, Carleton Rd., Westfield.

1932—John R. Dolan and Miss Marjorie Peck were married Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28, 1935, it has been announced. They are living at 13 Lewis St., Providence.

1933—Lieut. Harrell G. Hall, U. S. R., and Miss Mary Bigger Walthall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Walthall, were married in San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 5, 1935. They are living in Lubbock, Tex.

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## BIRTHS

1917—To Mr. and Mrs. William M. Cleare of Fall River, Mass., a daughter, Maureen, Dec. 4, 1935. Mrs. Cleare was Mary A. Lomax '25, Pembroke.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Whitman of Montevideo, Uruguay, a son, Ralph Eugene, Oct. 12, 1935.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Boyle of Providence, a daughter, Margaret Ann, Nov. 24, 1935.

1920—To Mr. and Mrs. Seth B. Gifford of Cranston, R. I., a daughter, Constance Irene, on Oct. 24, 1935.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fawcett of Montclair, N. J., a son, Edward Carrington, Nov. 22, 1935.

1923—To Dr. and Mrs. Daniel V. Troppoli of Providence, a daughter, Jane Webster, Nov. 24, 1935.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. Arvid N. Larson of Pawtuxet, R. I., a son, Arthur Donald, Nov. 28, 1935.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Goff of Providence, a son, Robert H. Goff, Jr., Nov. 17, 1935.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Lalumia of Hamden, Conn., a daughter, Priscilla Rose, on November 28, 1935.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Newell A. Norton of Madison, Wis., a son, Richard Shekell, Aug. 4, 1935.

1926—To Dr. and Mrs. Percy Laurance Bailey, Jr., of Riverdale, N. Y., a son, Richard Holmes, Nov. 8, 1935. Mrs. Bailey was Gladys Holmes '26, Pembroke.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Ormond Saart of Providence, a second son, Richard Joslin, Dec. 2, 1935.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Knox of Providence, a daughter, Judith Ellison, Nov. 18, 1935.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie T. Chase of Providence, a daughter, Jacqueline Thurber, Nov. 27, 1935.

1932—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Letoile of Riverside, R. I., a daughter, Diane Meredith, Nov. 30, 1935.

## Those We Mourn

1876

RICHARD HOADLEY TINGLEY, civil engineer, author, and crossword puzzle expert, died at his home in Port Chester, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1935, after a short illness. He made thousands of crossword puzzles for newspaper and magazine syndicates, was for years a regular contributor to *The Annalist*, *The New York World*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Outlook* and other publications.

Born in Windham, Conn., July 4, 1856, the son of George Curtis and Georgianna (Sage) Tingley, he prepared at Providence High School. At Brown he took all engineering courses then available and on graduation went to work on the construction of the West Shore Railroad along the Hudson River. Then he migrated West and joined the engineering staff building the Northern Pacific Railroad in the Yosemite Valley. He worked through the scene of the Custer Massacre the year after the battle.

After his return East he was a civil engineer in Providence and New York, being president and chief engineer of the R. H. Tingley Company. After 1913 he devoted

most of his time to literary, scientific and economic research, and the writing of special articles. Among his books were "Trade Acceptances," 1916; and "Banka Tin," which the Government of the Dutch East Indies published in 1922. During the World War he served with the War Industries Board, with transportation economics as his field. He made and sold at least 2,000 crossword puzzles, and wrote a popular syndicate series under the title of "What Do You Know?"

He belonged to the Puzzlers League, the Blizzard Men of 1888, the Forty-Forty Club, the University Club of Port Chester, the Episcopal Church, and Psi Upsilon.

He was married April 13, 1887, to Bertha Franklin Tingley, who survives, with a son, Maurice Tingley, and two daughters, Mrs. Charles W. Anderson of Morristown, N. J., and Miss Pauline C. Tingley of Port Chester.

1878

BENNETT ROLLIN WHEELER, dean of Kansas lawyers, died at his home in Topeka, Nov. 26, 1935. He had been ill with pneumonia for about ten days, the

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*Topeka Journal* said. He celebrated his 80th birthday last October 23.

He was born in Providence in 1855, the son of Bennett W. and Betsy J. (Monroe) Wheeler. Several of his forebears were newspapermen and were prominent in the early history of Rhode Island. He came to Brown from Mowry & Goff's English & Classical School, and, after winning his bachelor's degree, entered Boston University Law School, from which he received the LL.B. in 1880.

Admitted to the Rhode Island bar in that year, he started West after his marriage to Grace Dyer Manton in 1881, and in May, 1881, settled in Topeka, where he commenced the practice of law. He soon established a reputation as a thorough lawyer, and "came to be regarded as one of the best real estate lawyers in this part of the nation." In 1889 he formed the law partnership of Wheeler & Switzer, and was

senior member of the law firm of Wheeler, Brewster & Hunt at the time of his death.

He was one of the first teachers and lecturers at Washburn College Law School, which he helped to organize and in which he took particular interest. He was a past president and member of the Kansas State Bar Association; chairman of the board of the Capitol Building and Loan Association; charter member and president of the Foster Humane Society; a founder of the Topeka Country Club and of the Topeka Club, now the University Club, and a member of several patriotic societies and Delta Upsilon. He also belonged to Grace Cathedral.

Surviving are his widow, two daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Wheeler Bubbs and Mrs. A. H. Meyer, three grandchildren, and one great grandchild.

"Mr. Wheeler above all else was a kindly man," said the *Topeka Journal*. "He was active in civic affairs and did his part simply and quietly and exercised great influence in the life and growth of Topeka. . . . Many now prominent attorneys of Kansas received their knowledge of real estate law from Bennett Wheeler."

1882

**H**ARRY WILD JONES, architect, and organizer of the Department of Architecture at the University of Minnesota, died at his home in Minneapolis, Sept. 26, 1935. His funeral was held in Lakewood Chapel, which he himself designed.

As a church architect he was nationally known. A student of every phase of church and Sunday school house planning, he designed church buildings in nearly all parts of the country. Some of them include Mt. Vernon Baptist Church, New York City; First Presbyterian Church, Albany, Ga.; West Park Baptist Church, St. Louis; First Methodist Episcopal Church, Ottawa, Kan.; Congregational Church, Dickinson, N. D.; Judson Memorial Baptist Church, Minneapolis; and the Baptist Church at Granville, Ohio. He was consulting architect for the First Baptist Churches of San Francisco, Pittsburgh, and Battle Creek, Mich.; and the architect of the Shanghai College Chapel. He also designed many commercial buildings.

He was born in Schoolcraft, Mich., Jan. 9, 1859, the son of Rev. Howard Malcolm Jones '53 and Mary White (Smith) Jones, whose father was the author of "America" (The original manuscript of the song is now in possession of Harvard.) Harry Jones prepared at the University Grammar School, studied two years at Brown, and then went to Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he received the B.S. degree in 1882. In 1903 the Corporation gave him his A.B. degree by special vote, an award which greatly pleased him.

After studying architecture in the office of H. H. Richardson in Boston, he removed to Minneapolis in 1883, set up for himself, and soon became successful. In 1892 he organized the Department of Architecture at the University of Minnesota and served two years as Professor of Architecture without giving up his practice. He also lectured at the University of Chicago and at several theological schools on church architecture. He was the first director of the Minnesota State Art Society, and one of the most active members of the Minneapolis Board of Park Commissioners for twelve years.

He was a director of the Minnesota Society of Fine Arts, a founder of Calvary Baptist Church, and a member of the Minneapolis and Six O'Clock Clubs, and Chi Phi, now Sigma Chi. Near the end of the World War he accepted appointment as vocational officer to organize District No. 10 in the States of Minnesota, South and North Dakotas, and Montana, to provide for the rehabilitation and training of disabled soldiers. He was also a speaker for the Laymen's Missionary Movement after his return from a world's tour in 1907. One of his friends was the late President William H. Taft.

He was married in 1883 to Miss Bertha J. Tucker; in 1933 he and Mrs. Jones celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Jones survives, with two sons, Malcolm and Arthur L. Jones of Minneapolis, and a daughter, Mary White Jones of Aurora, Ill.

1884

**W**ILL CLARENCE INGALLS, former teacher and insurance man, died in New York City, Dec. 3, 1935, a few days after he and his wife had settled in a new apartment. He had been a successful school official for nearly 20 years when he resigned to enter life insurance work.

He was born in Bradford, N. H., Sept. 19, 1858, the son of Moses C. and Lucy A. (Ayer) Ingalls. He prepared at Vermont Academy, organized a debating society as an undergraduate at Brown, resigned from a national fraternity in protest over selection of initiates, and after receiving his degree began his teaching career as assistant in the English and scientific department of the Providence High School. From 1890-92 he was principal of Wasco Academy and Normal School, The Dalles, Ore., and after a year of business in New Britain, Conn., assistant superintendent and then superintendent of schools, Flushing, N. Y.

From Flushing he went to Rutherford, N. J., as supervising principal of the public schools, and from Rutherford to Bridgeton, N. J., where he was principal of the South Jersey Institute, 1900-02. He gave up school work for business in New York City, and in 1905 joined the staff of the Northwestern Life Insurance Company as agent. He continued with this company until his death.

He was at one time secretary of the Barnard Club of Rhode Island, secretary and president of the Arlington, N. J., Board of Trade, corresponding secretary and member of the executive committee of the New York City Agents' Association of the Northwestern Company, and a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

Ingalls was married April 3, 1884, to Ellen Frances Hayden of Northfield, Vt., who died Jan. 13, 1911, leaving three children, Will C. Ingalls, Jr., '09, and Marguerite and Leoren Daboll Ingalls. His second marriage took place March 9, 1914, to Mrs. Katherine E. Workum of Cincinnati, O. Mrs. Ingalls survives, as does Mrs. Lucy Ayer Ingalls, the mother, of Putney, Vt.

1895

**T**HE Alumni Office has confirmed the report of the death of Amasa Randolph Tourtellot Truex in Los Angeles, Dec. 10, 1934. He had been a member of the California bar since July, 1909. Previously he had been a minister of the Episcopal Church and a newspaper reporter.

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After a year of travel he left the ministry in January, 1900, to take up newspaper work. Until his admission to the bar in 1909 he covered the courts in Los Angeles for the *Times* and so became interested in the law. He was associated with the office of Hubert T. Morrow from 1909 to his death. A bachelor, his only survivors are a sister, Miss Ava J. Truex of Binghamton, and a brother, Duane P. Truex, Jr., of Auburn, New York.

"Mr. Truex had many admirable traits," wrote one who knew him in Los Angeles. "He was unselfishly devoted to his legal associates and friends, particularly to Mr. Morrow. He had an analytical mind and was an inveterate reader. He was a man of the highest integrity, of unquestioned loyalty to his few friends, was a scholarly lawyer, and exceedingly thorough and competent in everything that he undertook. . . . He was the author of poems and prose pieces, but steadfastly refused to publicize his versatile talents."

1898

REV. GEORGE LEONARD DROWNE died at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence, Dec. 5, 1935, after an operation. He had been teacher, newspaperman, and a priest of the Episcopal Church. In his leisure time in recent years he had done much to fill gaps in and bring up to date the necrology and other records of the Class of '98.

He was born in Providence, April 26, 1874, the son of Edward I. and Anna L. (Brown) Drowne. His grandfather was Solomon Drowne, Professor of Botany at Brown, surgeon in the Revolution, and developer of the Rhode Island Greening apple. He prepared at University School, and, after graduation from Brown, entered Andover Theological Seminary with the intention of preparing for the Congregational ministry. He transferred from Andover to Harvard Divinity School, but gave up study to go into newspaper work in Worcester, Mass. While engaged in this work he enrolled at Clark University, from which he received the A.M. degree in 1908, and where he was instructor in English.

In 1913 he removed to Montclair, N. J., to become news manager of the *Newark Evening News*. The following year he was ordained a minister of the Congregational Church. During 1914 and 1915 he preached and worked in Hampton, Conn., and was minister of the Congregational Church, Rye, N. H., 1915-17. In 1918 he became a deacon in the Episcopal Church, being ordained by Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts. During 1918 and 1919, in which year he was made a priest of the church, he was associate rector of Trinity Church, Stoughton, Mass. He also served at New Bedford, Fitchburg, and at St. Paul's Church, Plainfield, Conn., where he was rector from 1925 to 1930. He was put upon the retired list at his own request in 1930. For a number of years he gave public lectures on poetry and fiction, and always maintained a real zest for literature.

A bachelor, he left no near relatives. His fraternity was Zeta Psi.

1910

JOHN DANIELSON HOWARD, theatre manager, died at his home in Glendale, Ariz., Nov. 25, 1935, following a paralytic stroke. He had been in ill health for some time.

Born in Warwick, R. I., July 18, 1886, the son of Elisha Harris and Edith L. (Danielson) Howard, he prepared at Hope Street High School and was a student at Brown from September, 1906, to January, 1908. After leaving Brown he studied for a while at Amherst, and then went with R. G. Dun & Co. as manager of the collection department in the Seattle, Wash., office. During part of 1911 he was engaged in the lumber business in Seattle. He became assistant credit manager for the Western Dry Goods Co. in August, 1911, and continued with that company until the World War, when he resigned to enter the service.

After the war he joined the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation in San Francisco, and managed theatres in Council Bluffs, Ia., Mobile, Ala., and Calexico (Fox West Coast Theatres), Calif. He took over the Glendale Theatre two years ago. He was a member of the Lions Club of Glendale, first commander of the Glendale Post, American Legion, and a member of Psi Upsilon.

Surviving are his second wife, Mrs. Thelma Howard, three young daughters, his mother, a brother, E. H. Howard, Jr., and a sister.

1918

FRANKLIN COOLIDGE BROOKS, newspaperman, died in Presbyterian Medical Centre, New York City, Nov. 26, 1935, after an illness of two months. Two weeks before his death he underwent an operation for a kidney ailment.

He was born in Colorado Springs, Colo., Nov. 16, 1897, the son of Franklin E. Brooks '83, former member of Congress and Trustee of the University, 1906 to his death in 1916, and Sarah (Coolidge) Brooks. He came to Brown from Cutler Academy, Colorado Springs; left college in May, 1918, to enlist in the United States Army; went to the Fort Still School of Fire, from which he graduated, and received his honorable discharge as First Lieutenant in January, 1919.

His newspaper career began on the *Daily Oklahoman*, Oklahoma City, Okla. From that paper he transferred to the *Oklahoma City Times*, of which he was city editor for five years before he resigned to return East as assignment editor of the *New Bedford Standard*. He went to the *New York Daily News* in 1925, and in recent years had been an executive in the editorial art department. He held a commission as Major in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

He was married June 16, 1920, to Miss Sarah Dorothea Torr of Providence, who survives, with a son, Franklin C. Brooks, Jr., his mother, and two brothers, Edward C. Brooks '24 of Chicago, and Philip Brooks, and a sister, Miss Catherine Brooks. His fraternity was Delta Phi.

1933

RICHARD BORDEN WINSLOW died at the Newton Hospital, Newton Centre, Mass., Nov. 21, 1935, after an illness of

three days. An attack of appendicitis was the cause of death.

Born in Washington, D. C., June 29, 1912, the son of Howard O. Winslow '01 and Helen (Almy) Winslow, he prepared at Newton High School. As undergraduate at Brown he played lacrosse, was a cheer leader for two years, and head cheer leader in Senior year. He had a winning personality, and was popular with his classmates and in his fraternity, Delta Tau Delta. His major study was English.

After graduation he became a clerk in the offices of the United Shoe Machinery Co., with which his father is patent attorney, and was making real progress in learning the details of executive work when he was stricken. He was to have been married next April. At his funeral J. Stewart Rigby, a classmate, was a bearer, and Francis S. Wilson '34 was an usher. Other members of the Class were present.

Dick is survived by his parents; his grandfather, Isaac O. Winslow '78; an uncle, Arthur M. Winslow '03, Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Washington; and a cousin, W. T. Littlehales '28.

1935

GEORGE WASHINGTON OLVANY, JR., died at the Neurological Hospital, New York City, Dec. 18, 1935, eight days after he was found with two bullet wounds in the head at Saranac Lake, where he had been undergoing treatment for a lung infection and a general rundown condition. The news was a shocking surprise to classmates and other college friends.

He was born in New York City, April 5, 1913, the son of George W. and Agnes S.

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His health became poor last spring, and for a time there was a question about his being able to receive his degree with the

class. But he won out, and soon after Commencement went to Saranac Lake for treatment and rest. After he was wounded, he seemed to hold his own, and his parents brought him to New York, where he underwent a third operation. He rallied and then began to decline.

He was the only son; and the sympathy of the Class is given to Judge and Mrs. Olvany in full measure. George, Jr.'s fraternity was Zeta Psi.

## Alumnae of Brown

BY GERTRUDE ALLEN McCONNELL '10

Executive Secretary of the Alumnae Association

### Engagements

1934—Elizabeth Webb Bucklin to John Ellsworth Flemming, Jr., '33 of Summit, N. J., son of Rev. and Mrs. John E. Flemming of New York. Mr. Flemming is a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. He received his A.M. degree from New York University.

1936—Charlotte Katz to Arthur L. Goldman, Harvard '30 and Harvard Law School '33.

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### Weddings

1925—Ruth Davidson was married to Jonathan Evans, a graduate of Pennsylvania State College, on June 22, 1935, at Manhasset, Long Island. Mr. and Mrs. Evans are living at 337 East 30th St., New York City.

1929—Vera N. Matteson was married to Dr. A. B. Sundquist on May 5, 1934. Dr. Sundquist is a graduate of Tufts, where he received his B.S. and M.D. degrees in 1933. For two years he served a general internship at the Rhode Island Hospital and has now opened an office at 843 Main St., Manchester, Conn.

1930—Lucy I. Fogarty was married to Dr. Arthur Lincoln Quirk of Providence College on November 27th, 1935, at St. Mary's Church in Providence. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lorenzo C. McCarthy, President of Providence College. A reception followed at the Biltmore Hotel. Dr. and Mrs. Quirk are living at 388 River Ave., Providence.

1930—Alice Shepard was married to Bernard Dougall at the Church of the

Transfiguration in New York City in November. Mr. and Mrs. Dougall are living at 310 East 55th Street, New York City.

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### Births

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Knowles (Dorothy Mowry), a son, Ralph Everett, on September 19, 1935. Barbara Dorothy is now four. Mr. and Mrs. Knowles have moved to 14 Channing St., Wollaston, Mass.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Peterson (Helen Hoff), a son, Jon Alvah, on September 21, 1935. The Petersons are living at 2039 Collingswood Road, Columbus, Ohio.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. William T. M. Cleare (Mary Lomax), a daughter, Maureen, on December 4, 1935. They are living at 1455 President Ave., Fall River.

1926—To Dr. and Mrs. Percy L. Bailey, Jr. (Gladys Holmes), a son, Richard Holmes, on November 8, 1935. They are living at 3804 Greystone Ave., Riverdale, N. Y.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Leslie T. Chase (Mary Lyon), a daughter, Jacqueline Thurbur, on November 27, 1935. Winsor is now four. The Chases are living at 109 Halsey St., Providence.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Arvid N. Larson (Elinor Chace), a son, Arthur Donald, on November 28, 1935. Mr. and Mrs. Larson are living at 4 Mars Avenue, Pawtuxet, R. I.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayland-Smith (Prudence Skinner), a second son, Francis Giles, on September 25, 1935. They are living at Kenwood Station, Oneida, N. Y.

1933—To Mr. and Mrs. Penn Hargrove (Eleanor Gilbert), a daughter, Evagene Gilbert, on July 23, 1935. The Hargroves are living at 12 Munro Ave., Mamaroneck, N. Y.

### Class Notes

1897—Ruth Roundy Allen is house-mother at the Phi Zeta Sorority house at the Massachusetts State College of Agriculture, Amherst, Mass.

1899—Myra H. Butler is now living in White River Junction, Vermont.

1899—Agnes E. Clark is spending the winter in Tryon, N. C.

1902—Myrtis Milklin Clayton entertained her class at a buffet supper at her

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home on Wayland Avenue on Sunday, Dec. 8. Sixteen members attended. After the supper her son, Donald, told some of his experiences during his automobile trip through Europe last summer. He is now teaching economics and commercial law at Hope Street High School.

1902—Lillian Gamwell Moulton's son, William, graduated from Princeton last June and was awarded a fellowship by the Institute of International Education to study abroad. He is spending the year at the University of Berlin. At the end of his sophomore year he was given a foreign scholarship by Princeton University and spent the summer at the University of Nancy.

1905—Sally Cady Patten and family have moved to 1908 Princess St., Wilmington, North Carolina.

1909—Irma Gyllenberg Cull entertained the members of her class at her home on Blackstone Boulevard on December 19.

1910—Alma Brown Whipple (Mrs. C. M.) has moved from New Jersey to 110 Melrose Avenue, Albany, N. Y.

1911—Anna Canada Swain entertained the members of her class at her home on Barberry Hill on December 20.

1912—Dorothy C. Walter has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her father.

1913—Mildred Bosworth Brown entertained the members of her class last month.

1913—Mary F. Clarke is back in Boston and is living at 223 Newbury Street.

1913—Marion Bailey Lee and family have moved to 72 Maynard St., Pawtucket.

1914—The Class had a supper at Alumnae Hall on December 28.

1915—Katherine Canada Wright has moved to Washington, R. I., where her husband is the Episcopal rector.

1916—Elizabeth Little Brown was the speaker at the class supper in Alumnae Hall.

1917—Lena Lopiansky's new address is 33 Washington Square West.

1918—The class supper and meeting in Alumnae Hall was a great success.

1919—Madrid Collette Cleary (Mrs. Robert V.) has moved to Mishawaka, Indiana, where her husband is connected with the U. S. Rubber Co.

1919—Miriam Nuzum Hoxington has moved to Oak Park, Illinois, which is eight miles from Chicago. Can someone furnish the street address?

1920—Nettie Wilsker Hannum is living at 2356 20th Street, Washington, D. C.

1921—Dorothy Maxwell Klotz's address is wanted by the Alumnae Office.

1921—Elizabeth Nightingale Collins has moved to 2017 Grant Ave., Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

1922—Mary C. McCarthy is living at 45 Scherer Avenue, Newark, N. J.

1923—Sister Mary Barbara, C. S. J. B. (Mary Shroder) is living in Mendham, N. J., where she teaches in the Episcopal school connected with St. John the Baptist Convent.

1923—Elizabeth Ewart has taken an apartment at 25 Tobey Street, Providence, and drops in occasionally at the Alumnae Office.

1924—Can someone supply addresses for Katherine Leach and Mary Weaver Pinder?

1925—Katherine Mayor is living at 135 East 50th Street, New York City.

1926—Virginia Knerr Delany is another

girl whose mail came back without a forwarding address.

1927—Marjorie Sidelinger is teaching in the Northbridge Senior High School. Her address is 39 Pleasant Street, Whitinsville, Mass.

1928—Sylvia Berkman has moved to 108 Fuller Street, Brookline, Mass.

1930—Rosina Martella has been called by the National Board of the Y. W. C. A. to assist in conference with several branches in New York and New Jersey. Miss Martella has been secretary at the Providence Y. W. C. A. International Institute for the past six years. At college she specialized in romance languages and speaks four languages fluently.

1931—Carolyn Bell and Susan Demery

are attending the Library School at Simmons.

1931—Josephine McIntire is now connected with the Boston City Hospital.

1933—Frances B. Barnes is working for B. B. & R. Knight Corporation and is living at 9 Aldrich Terrace, Providence.

1933—Mildred L. Campbell received her Master's degree from Mt. Holyoke last June and is now working as a biochemist in the research laboratories of the Burroughs Wellcome Company in Tuckahoe. Her address is 82 Chippewa Road, Tuckahoe, New York.

1934—Ruth Clem is studying at Columbia and living at 430 West 119th Street, Apt. 52, New York City.

## Pembroke Chronicle

BY MARY LOUISE HINCKLEY '37

KOMIANS presented their first major production of the year on Dec. 6 and 7. "Moor Born" by Dan Tothoroh, a story depicting the lives of the Bronte sisters, was directed by Mrs. Sarah Minchin Barker, who 16 years ago this month directed her first play for Komians.

The Pembroke Varsity Debating team won over Rhode Island State on the subject "Resolved: That the Several States Should Enact Legislation Providing for a System of Complete Medical Service Available to All Citizens at Public Expense."

The Vocational Guidance Club used a novel means to raise money for its reserve fund. They sponsored a bridge and tea which was a great success.

The first in the annual series of chamber music concerts presented under the auspices of Pembroke College and the Department of Music in Brown University was given on the evening of Dec. 12. The Manhattan String Quartet presented its first major concert since its return from a European concert tour. Lee Pattison, distinguished pianist and composer, was assisting artist.

Awards for work done during the fall term were made at a recent assembly by the Athletic Association. Statistics from the department of hygiene and physical education show that fistball, with 200 enrolled, was the most popular fall activity. Tennis with

150 was second and field hockey with 100, the same exact number for the third consecutive year, was third.

The annual Christmas assembly was devoted to a Christmas Vesper service with solos and group singing by the Pembroke choir. The dormitories held their annual Christmas parties Sunday, Dec. 15, and had Santa Claus as their special guest. The German Club of Brown and Pembroke presented a Christmas nativity play, "Die Heilige Nacht," on Dec. 18. An angel choir placed on a platform high above the actors after the mode of the 13th and 14th centuries was one of the features of the presentation. Three dances held Friday, Dec. 20, closed the Christmas festivities at the College. Metcalf and Miller had their parties while Brownies sponsored a dance in the Crystal Room for the city girls.

The annual fall riding meet was held in the middle of the month. The newly formed Riding Club, composed of advanced riders, featured in the meet.

Zelda Fisher '36, president of the S. G. A., represented the college at a convention of the National Student Federation of America in Kansas City Dec. 27-31. Katherine Faulkner '36, president of the Christian Association, represented the college at a convention of the Students' Volunteer Movement in Indianapolis Dec. 28-Jan. 1.

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